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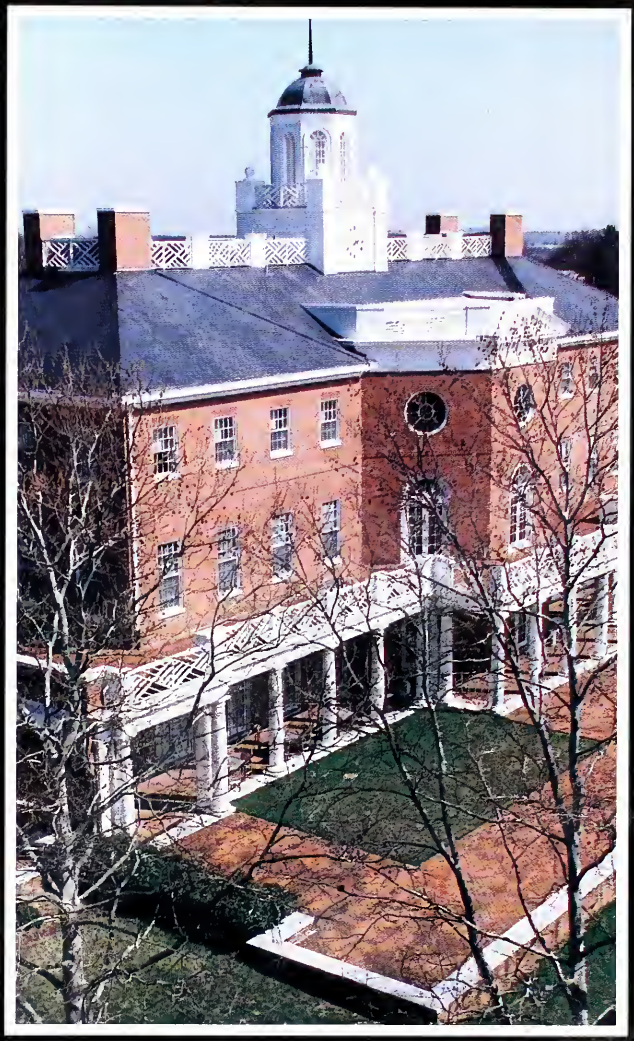

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We are born and begin our journey,

We face the limits of the world , gain and lose.

We are transformed by each encounter.

We are heroes

At Washington College we begin to form our

We can find our place, plot a middle course, between

Herein lies the

We are continually reborn: marvelous as the moon.

Our lives are as the tides; on the water that rises and rescinds, we have been high and low.

independent lives.

innocence and experience, work and play.

Along the varied, strange and compelling journey

that unfolds as our life,

we may tire, but we are revived,

we falter, and we are redeemed.

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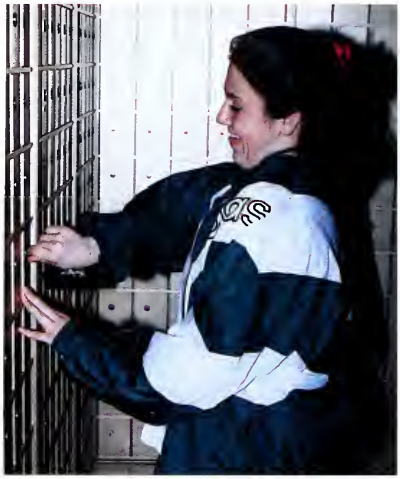
Student Life

We come to school and are thrown into the midst of hundreds of unfamiliar faces. Left to navigate our way through this sea of students and faculty, we find some days the temperment of that sea is rough, other days we look over the campus and sense harmony. Our days become adventures where anything may happen and the red sky at dawn or halo around the moon is no indication of what is to come. Instead we develop judgement, intuition, and dynamicism. We find our niche. In sailing a sea of which you are a part, student life is what you make it.



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All Hallow's Eve 1996

Our homegrown Who-Hash entrances the crowd in the Student Center, complete with rock star lighting. Below, Strangefolk return to delight WAC.

Fin, the 25-foot salmon. He migrates around the nation to represent Wild Olympic Salmon and educate about conservation.

You'd better know when to hold them and when to fold them at Casino Night.

Washington's Birthday Ball

Hooray for Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD

The Stars Come Out for Birthday Ball 1997

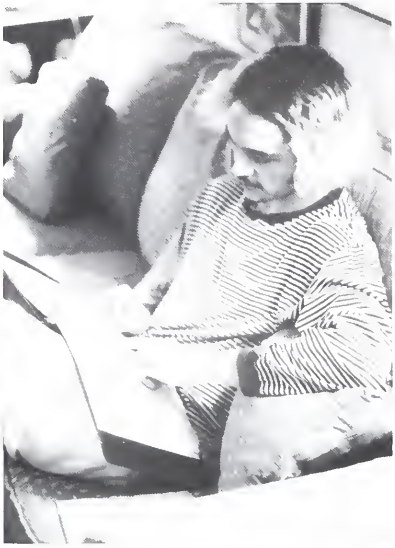
The 1997 George Washington's Birthday Ball was a gala event this year, with the theme "Hooray for Hollywood." In order to accomodate the stellar turnout, the event was moved from Cain Gym to the larger Lifetime Fitness Center. Hargrove Inc. once again engineered an astounding transformation, bringing Hollywood to the Washington College campus. The night was complete with special guests, including "Marilyn" singing "Happy Birthday," as well as the Dynamic Duo of Batman and Robin. Drawing everyone to the dancefloor was the rockin' band, Amaretto. The crowd was further driven into a frenzy by the production of "Grease," making the celebration a truly memorable night.

Anniversaries for the Lit House and Sophie Kerr Gift

1997 marked the 25th birthday of the Literary House as well as the 30th time the Sophie Kerr Prize was awarded to the graduating senior with the most promise as a writer. The Lit House began as an institution in Richmond House–a three story home located near the maintenance building, where its neighboring catalpa tree still stands. It was an office for Professor Robert Day and a residence for a few creative writers but was eventually torn down and its purpose moved to the O'Neill Literary House. Professors Bob Day and Kathy Wagner keep their offices there, as well as master printer Mike Kaylor, who heads the Literary House Press in the back room. Three fellowship rooms are available for private use by the seniors who qualify for one. The feline Edith Wharton also has her run of the house.

Par of the Sophi Kerr Gift also goes to fund the Sophie Kerr Lecture Series which brings a range of writers and critics to speak on campus. Its first guest was Professor Frank Kermode and the series continued with writers such as Katherine Anne Porter, David Justice, Allen Ginsberg, James Dickey, J.P. Donleavy, John Barth, Gwendolyn Brooks, Toni Morrison, Vaclav Havel, Carolyn Forché, and W.D. Snodgrass, to name only a few.

above, Ms. Sophie Kerr, herself



above, Edith Wharton the cat and Professor Day's Levi Blue Genes

"the kingly state of youth"

William Shakespeare,
Love's Labour's Lost

EARTH DAY APRIL 19 1997

Mother Nature sent a bit of overcast weather this Earth Day but it was brightened by the musical talents of Jim Infantino and his Big Ego as well as WagHed–featuring WC member Jon Taylor–at Wilmer Park. Sierra Coalition and the Democrat Club also sponsored Earth care-taking activities in the spirit of the day. The evening celebration relocated to the Cove where WAC's own Jazz Incubus opened for String Cheese Incident, followed by a performance from last year's guest, Strangefolk.

WAGHED

RAFT RACE

The festivities continued with the revival of the the WAC Raft Race. The tradition was begun in 1978 as a part of "River Day" held in early September, where students navigated homemade rafts across the Chester River to retrieve a six-pack of beer planted on the opposite bank. The first team to cross and return with the beer received their booty in the form of a keg of Heineken. The 1997 winners were a team representing Theta Chi–Jason Myers, Angus Strothers, Geoff Habicht and Mike Corrin. This time they were awarded a cash prize (no report on what those proceeds went toward).

THE WINNERS!

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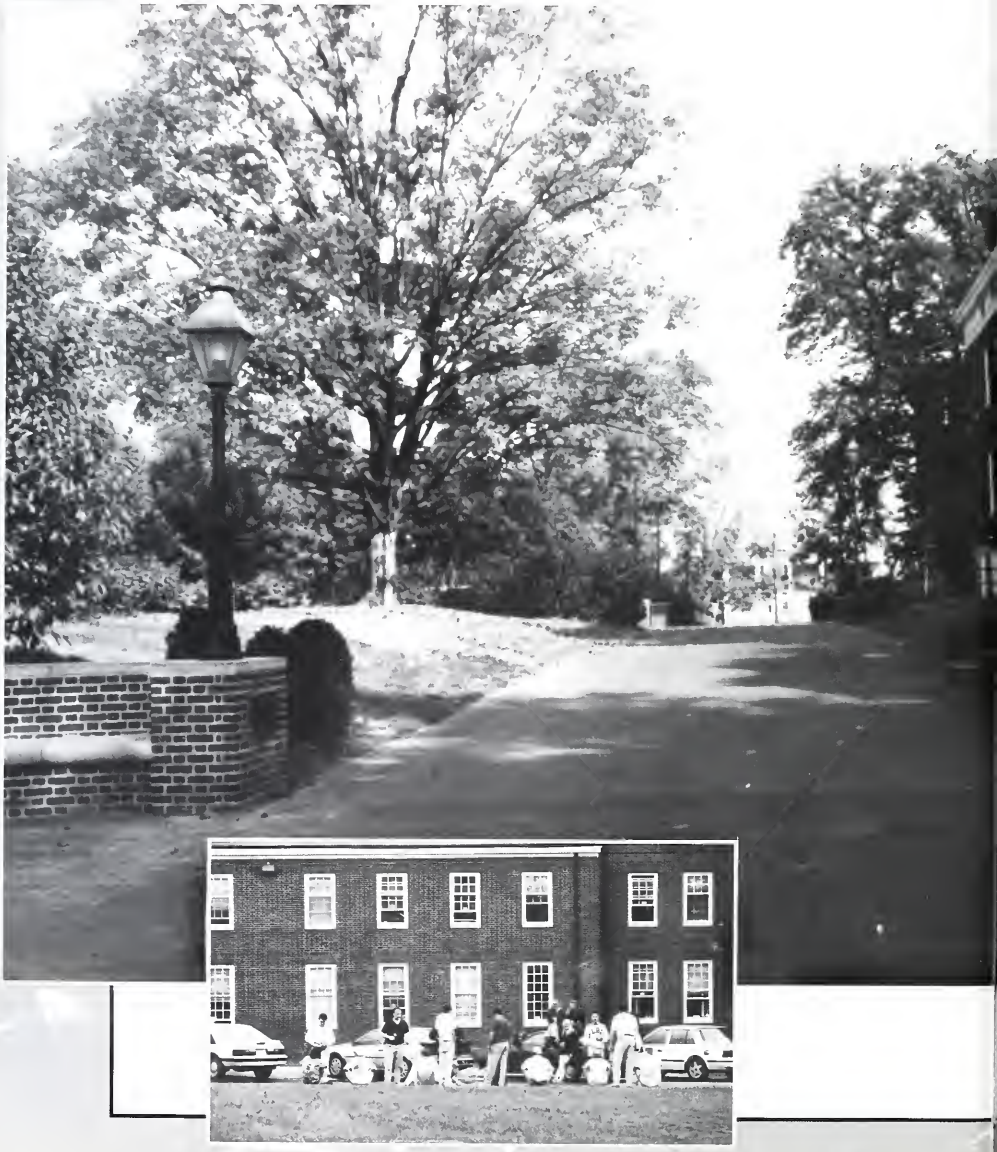

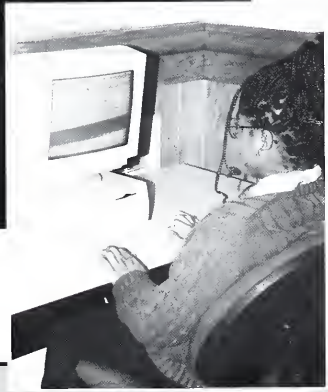

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Dormitory Life

This year 750 students–322 of them freshman–were living on campus; consequently, some students found themselves with two or three of those instant companions called roommates. Sharing small living quarters with another person is an adventure with some aspects more enjoyable than others. When it's fun, it's grand and when it's bad, it's awful. Either way, dorm life is an opportunity to learn about relating to others, compromising and at the same time, realizing how others view us. If we are lucky, spring arrives and we have made a friend and compiled a year full of vivid memories.

Living off campus has its own set of advantages and difficulties. The freedom of having your own house or apartment is exciting and satisfying but it also means cooking, cleaning and paying your own bills. Making your own waffle isn't as easy as you thought. Noise violations are now handled by the police instead of your R.A. When snow falls, staying indoors can seem much more appealing than a cold walk to class. Yet the comfort of living with best friends, or alone, of being able to fit more than three guests in your abode, even being able to keep a pet, makes the hassles worthwhile.

Cardinal Dorms

Shayne Bates, Veronique Bernard, Marcelo Brutti, Frederick Butler, Shelley Callahan, Naomi Cook, Timothy Croissette, Stephanie DeSanctis, Kelly Eakin, Melissa Ellwanger, Heather Ennis, Sherri Foster, Amanda Friend, Christopher Fritch, Kamala Gordon, Jennifer Hammer, Stacey Hammond, Jesus Hernandez, Timothy Hoffacker, Cherae Hynson, Charla Jones, Kristen Keener, Melissa Kordula, Kari Lee, Yong-In Lee, Lauren Levine, Elizabeth Massing, Dana Mickelson, Erin Miller, Kristen Nemecek, Heather Noble, Charles Obrecht, Timothy Parent, Pearl Pham, James Pitt, Amy Povloski, Jayme Ricketts, Daniel Salazar, Stephanie Self, Theresa Senn, Jackie Smith, Rebecca Stephens, Danielle Sullivan, Lindsay Taylor, Patricia Thomas, Taryn Venner, Gregory Walker, Thomas Webb, Melissa Windsor, Stephanie Woodward

Cottages:

White
Brown
Grey

Alumni House

James Czarniak, Patrick Pearce, Kurt Sommer, Joshua Ward, John O'Hearn, Erika Ford, Smiley, Misfit, Myrtle the turtle and Zoe
Melanie Case, Sarah Hornbeck, Carolyn Reizen, Kyle Schneider
Yonatan Alemu, Mark Awantang, Svetoslav Gatchev, Erik Hegg, Stephen Siedel
Milorad Andjelic, Jason Geary, Michiel Meulenberg, Carl-Johan Nordberg

Susan Abrams, Angela Ahles, Lauren Bokel, Laura Bunting, Kendall Cheatham, Jo Ellen Clark, Thomas Clark, Kathryn Crouch, Elizabeth Davison, Leslie Denver, Nicole Doldan, Cassandra Dowling, Miya Drury, Sarah Ensor, Desiree Figueroa, Julio Garcia, Adrienne Gemmell, Kelly George, Shanna Gersey, Gregory Gibson, Terry Harris, Jennifer Hartman, Sarah Hickerson, Jennifer Higgins, Erin Hobbs, Laura Hobbs, Brian Hopkins, Nicole Jones, Jennifer Kiefer, Megan Kilby, Margaret Kilroy, Lindsay Krieg, David Larmore, Catharine Littleton, Noelle Living, Erin Madden, Katherine Mahoney, Elizabeth Mangano, Kia Massey, Michael McDonnell, Tara McKee, Ashley McLendon, Megan Miller, Doris Morales, Rosalie Morales, Amanda Norbury, Charles Norton, Alexandra Page, Shannon Parker, Julie Parks, Christopher Pelz, Donald Peters, Amy Petersen, April Podolinsky, Adrienne Porter, Kimberly Pryce, Jessica Rainey, Ileine Sanchez, Jessica Schreiber, Jeffrey Scott, Susannah Shaum, Jessica Sierra, Jacquelin Slusher, Vicky Smrcka, Heather Spurrier, Charlotte Stephenson, Catherine Turner, Joan Tylecki, Theresa Vance, Katherine Vanderhoff, Ellen Ward, Tjhai Yohanes, Nona-Aisha Zebron

Caroline:

Floors One, Two, and Three

Cecil

Paul Bayne, Christopher Bieberback, Daniel Biscoe, Devin Brown, Erik Dahlen, Brian Dorst, Colin Esaias, Jonathan Gamble Michael Gill, Andrew Greeley, Casey Griffith, Andrew King, Ronald Lockhart, Bert Magladry, Justin McCarthy, Charles Merrick, Douglas Misarti, Andrew Moffat, Gus Pappas, Robert Pollicino, Kevin Quinn, Jason Rockwell, Thomas Rombach, John Schwarz, Andrew Taibl, Christopher Tull, Matthew Wardian

Dorchester

Daniel Ardito, Frank Batelka, Tyler Benedum, Matthew Bixler, David Briggs, James Buck, James Carpenter, John Coppolino, Derek Cuff, Christopher Douma, Matthew Flanagan, Bryan Greenwood, Kevin Hanifee, Benjamin Harris, Michael Hinkle, Paul Kenny, Niket Mody, Thomas Moretti, Jason Myers, Michael O'Conner, Alex Phillips, Timothy Pilarski, Henri Prins, Sean Tyszko, Eugene Vassel

Worcester
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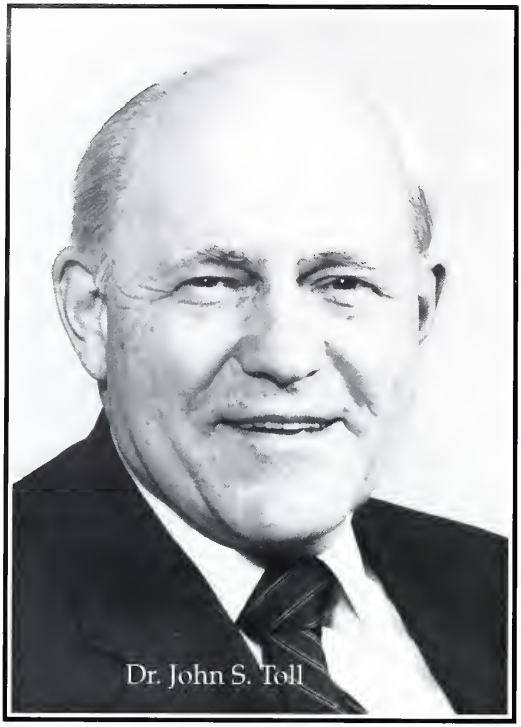
Faculty

Our professors are a significant part of our lives at WC. As advisors, mentors and teachers, we benefit from their experiences. They challenge us and also make us laugh. Not surprisingly, a few have a place of fondness in our memory–those whom we admire, whose classes we look forward to, whom we are sure to greet in the halls of Bill Smith. We take something from all of the faculty we come in contact with; they have influenced the paths of our lives and will continue to affect us for the rest of our years.



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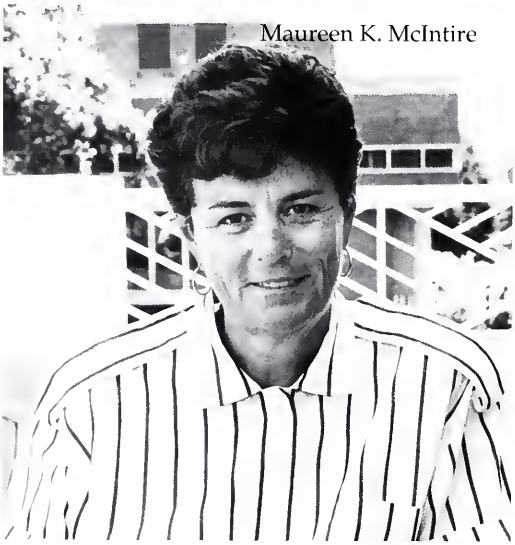

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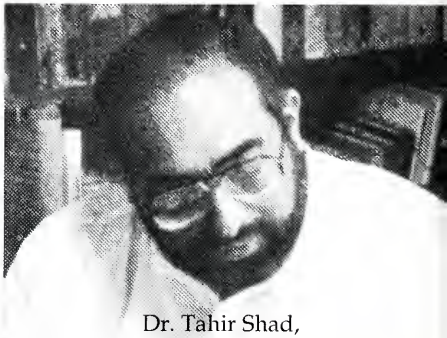

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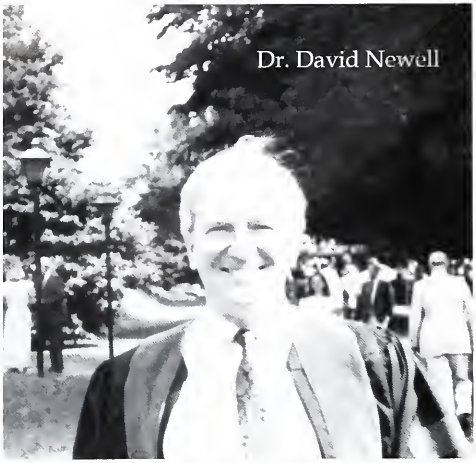
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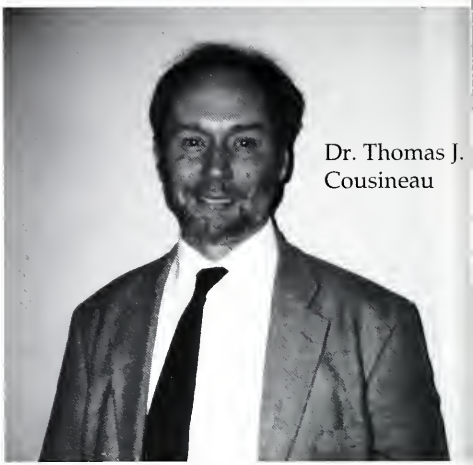
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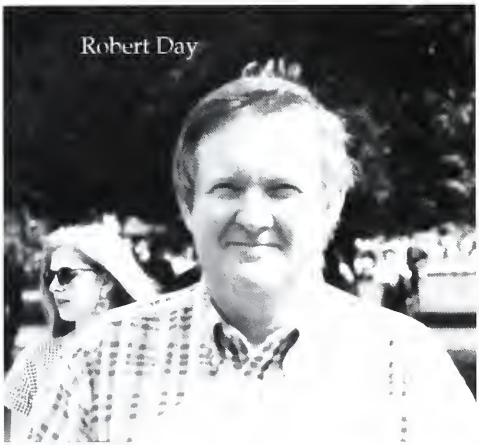
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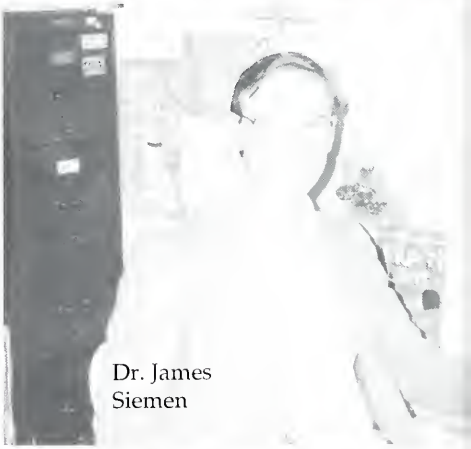
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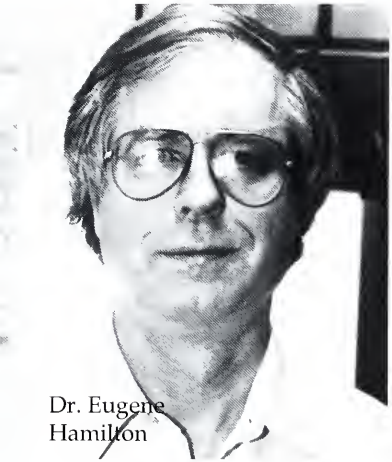

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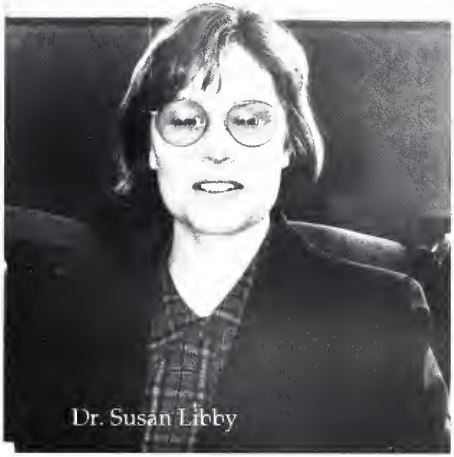

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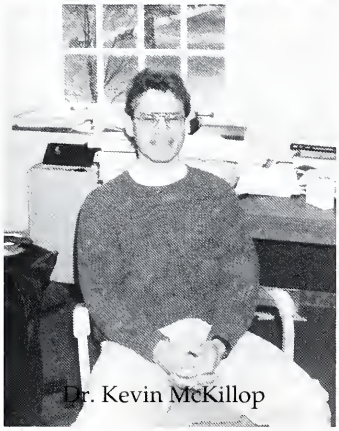

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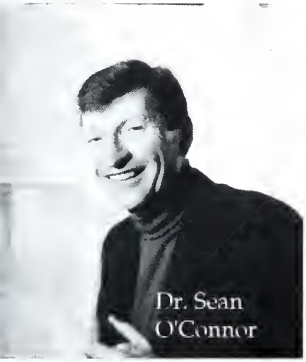

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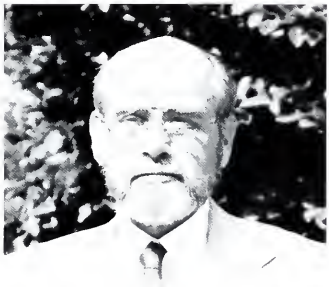

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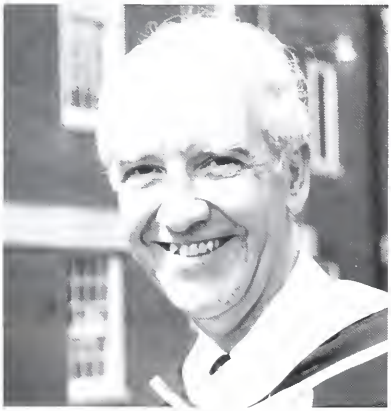

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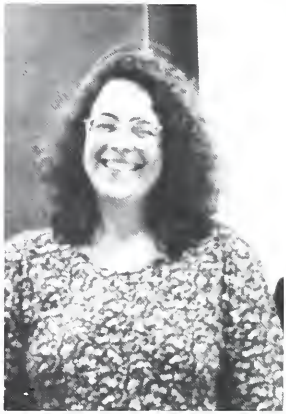

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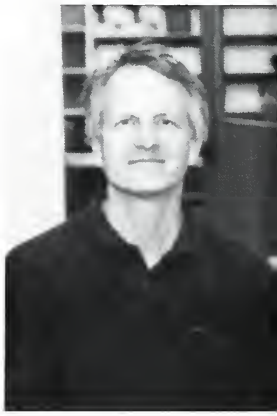

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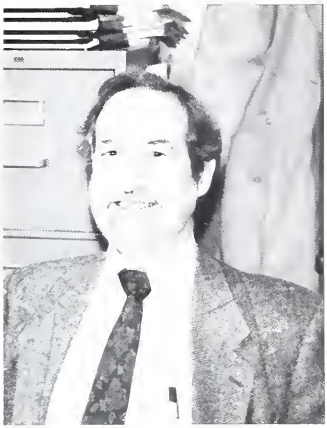

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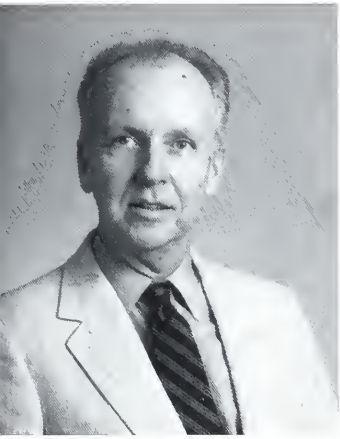

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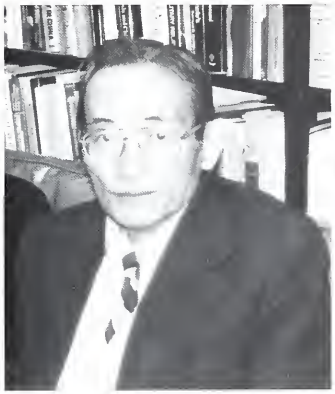

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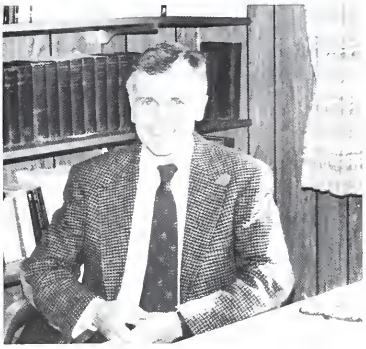

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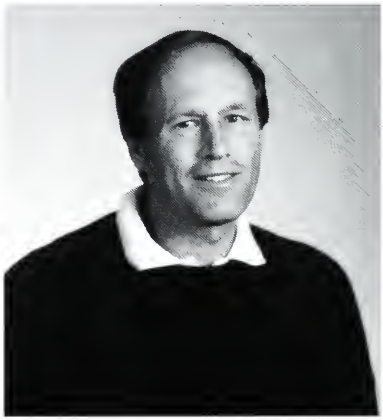

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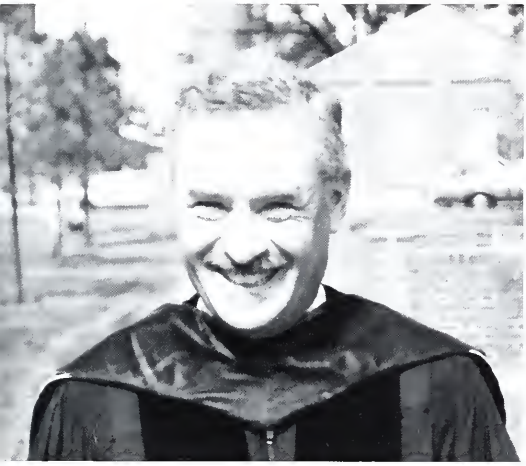

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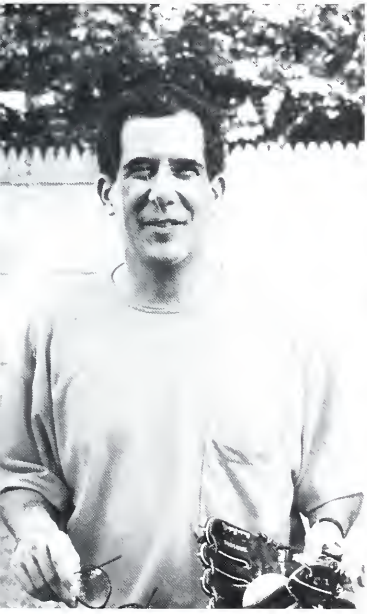

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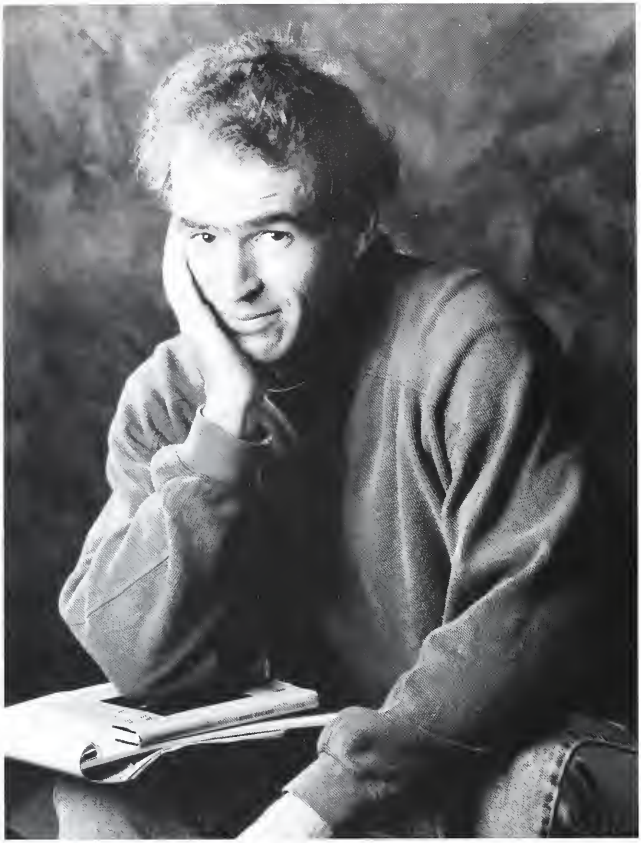

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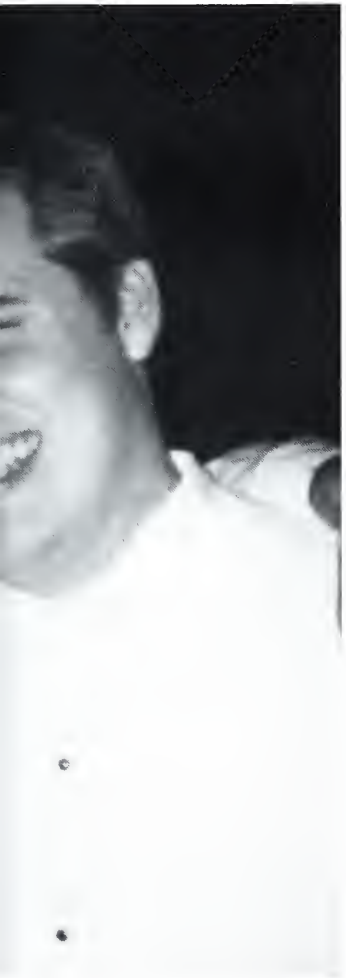

Odyssey

Seniors

We are at a turning point. Whether we go on to begin our career, enroll in graduate school, enter marriage or any number of possibilities, we leave the community of Washington College transformed. The change is mutual. We have seen developments in the campus and administration, and we perceive the effect it has had on us. We have been enlightened and increased our friendships. After some of the most metamorphic years of our lives, we emerge prepared, fervent, expectant.

Alpha Amatya
Kathmandu, Nepal

Live, Love and Learn,
and to hell with the rest.

April Elizabeth Alcorn
Biology
Psychology minor
Elkton, Maryland

A friend is a person with whom I may be sincere. Before him, I may think aloud. Ralph Waldo Emerson

Action, not words, are the criteria of the attachment of friends.
George Washington

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."
Jeremiah 29:11 NIV

Thanks to WC for all the good times and the great memories! Time sure does fly when you're having fun! Thanks to my wonderful parents who have supported me in the past, and who continue to give me unconditional love and understanding... it is something I will never forget. And most of all, thanks to my Heavenly Father for the blessings he has seen fit to bestow upon me.

Tanae Nicole Coates

English Major
Baltimore, Maryland

Without God, I couldn't have come this far. Mommy, Dad, Daddy I love you. "Momma love the kids: Terri, Lita-Bita, Kia, Ce-Ce, Assaunte, Emiyah, Kee', Jessie, Tange, Mel," Kathy Waye, Ms. Iris, Ms. Eboni, Ms. Tiette...cut the radio!!!, Bennie & Rick...drinks R on me. The Cove. I have to say this has been an experience. God has something in store for me...wish He'd tell me what store it's in. Tonya, best friends. SRW thank you for everything beautiful. Y'all always bring smiles to my face.

Katherine Courtenay Child

Psychology
Sociology minor
Chapel Hill, North Carolina

"And in this life nothing good is lost. It stays a part of a person, becomes part of their character. So part of you goes everywhere with me, and part of me is yours forever."

Heather Diane Ennis

Political Science
Economics minor
Dover, Delaware

Thank You Mom and Dad for all your love, support, and encouragement that you have given me throughout the years.
To all my friends, thanks for the wonderful memories that I will cherish forever. I hope your future is bright and all your dreams come true. I will miss you all.

Great it is to believe the dream
When we stand in youth by the starry stream;
But a greater thing is to fight life through
And say at the end, "The dream was true."
Edwin Markham

Sherri Foster

English and Education
Pasadena, Maryland

"Plan as if you'll live forever;
Live as if tomorrow will be
your last."

Allyson Moore

"It is in loving, not in being loved, the heart is blessed; It is in giving, not in seeking gifts, we find our quests; Whatever be your longing or your need, that give; So shall your soul be fed, and you indeed shall live." -Anonymous

"To love another person is to see the face of God." -Les Miserables

Jennifer Burkmar

French Studies and Education
Catonsville, Maryland

"What we anticipate seldom occurs; what we least expected generally happens." Benjamin Disraeli

Teri Senn

Psychology
Ellicott City, Maryland

"If you built castles in the air, your work need not be lost; there is where they should be. Now put foundations under them."
Thoreau

Naomi Deborah Cook

Humanities
Ardmore, Pennsylvania

"There's a big door with a little window and the big world in peekin' through."
Edie Brickell

"You are unique, and if that is not fulfilled, then something has been lost."
Martha Graham

To my friends and family:
"Beauty is in your heart,
Let it out, Let it beat,
Give yourself a treat."
–WC fortune cookie

love ya,
Kenny!

Amanda Elizabeth Friend

Humanities
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Georgetown, Delaware

Well, what can I say–time flies when you're havin' fun! During these four years at WC I have had some of the best experiences ever. Nothing would have been possible without God, my family, my friends, and all the people who have made a difference in my life. Thank you for making everything special–I love you all.
"You have stayed long enough at this mountain, it is time to move on." Mark 9:9

Federico DaFieno

International Studies/Economics
Lima, Peru

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Jessica A. DeMars

Chemistry
Frostburg, Maryland

Surely some small glory lies in store for me:
A poem, a book, or discovery.
The falling star in one brief light
Fulfills its destiny in the cold, dark night.
Harold Reed, from "Hope"

Thanks to Mom, Tracy, Noelle, and Vince for everything you've done to help me throughout the past four years. To Dave, thanks for your love and support. I couldn't have done this without you. Dad, I wish you could have seen it. I love you all.

David Barnes Gillis Jr.

Chemistry
Havertown, Pennsylvania

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I love you all very much!

Stephanie D. DeSanctis

Political Science
History minor
Belvidere, New Jersey

Too many times we stand aside
And let the waters slip away
'Til what we put off 'til tomorrow
Has now become today
So don't you sit upon the shoreline
And say you're satisfied
Choose to chance the rapids
And dare to dance the tide
Garth Brooks

Thanks Mom, Dad, Melissa, Jill, Jayme, Veronique and Mariah for all your support!

Melissa S. Kordula

Psychology
Business Management
Minor
Baltimore, Maryland

Thanks for everything Mom, Dad, Stephen, Andrew, Steph, and Jayme!

May the road rises to meet you. May the wind be always at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face, the rains fall soft upon your fields, and, until we meet again, may God hold you in the palm of his hand. Irish Blessing

Jayme Ricketts

Sociology and Business
Centreville, Maryland

I am hanging in the balance of a perfect-finished plan
Like every sparrow falling, Like every grain of sand
Bob Dylan
Thanks Mom and Dad, Steph, V, Melissa, Aaron, Dudley, Andrew and Jill. You guys are dear to me.

Veronique E. Bernard

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Anthropology minor
Annecy, France

We all had our reasons to be there
We all had a thing or two to learn
We all needed something to cling to so we did. Alanis Morisette

Thanks Mom, Dad for your support. Thanks Lynola and Jon for pushing me to achieve. Thanks Lisa and Phil for always being around. Thanks Jayme and Steph for all the laughs and the good times. Thanks Doug for being yourself and lighting up my life for the past two years.

Ronald Berry

ONE DAY AT A TIME
"God grant me the serenity to Accept the things I cannot change, the Courage to change the things I can, and the Wisdom to know the difference."

Special thanks to my Soul-Mate and Family for all their love and support.

Brian Bird

Business Management

Thank You to Phi Delta Theta and everyone who made my college experience the best years of my life.

To my parents–Thank you for your support and care–I love You. Jackie–Thank You for getting me through my last year and being such an important part of my life. I love you.

Abigail Byers

Political Science
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We rejoice in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not disappoint us, because God has poured out his love into our hearts by the Holy Spirit, whom he has given us.
Romans 5: 3-5

Todd Lineburger

Downingtown, Pennsylvania

Many thanks Mom, Dad, Dave, Heather, Lewis, the late Scratch, Brothers of KA. Keep an eye out for the superlative horse.

Mari Endo

Drama
Music minor

"The cardinal virtue (or, if you like, vice) of my life has always been the search for originality. I hate imitation. I hate hackneyed methods. I do not want to wear anyone else's mask. I want always to be myself."
Sergei Prokofiev

"In some ways we are more confused than ever, but we feel that we are confused on a higher level and about more important things. We're making progress. Things are getting worse at a slower rate. Things will get better despite our efforts to improve them." Will Rogers

Yohann Tilak DeZoysa

Business
Economics minor

To my beloved parents and brothers, SheLann and Virann, Thank you for your love and support through my college years. I couldn't have done it without you. Also, I want to say a special 'Hello' to my 'Boys': Shivantha, Ruwanga, John, Jack, Ravi, Rad, and Jason. Thanks for always coming through for me. All the best and good luck to the whole graduating class!

Carly Ellis

American Studies
Art History minor
Rockport, Massachusetts

"Scatter joy"
Ralph Waldo Emerson

Thank you Jeffrey, Nana, Mom and Dad for all your support and Love.

Sarah Hornbeck

Economics
Business minor
Topsham, Maine

"A misty morning does not signify a cloudy day." Ancient Proverb

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Iris R. Lewis

Sociology
Baltimore, Maryland

It was hard to say good-bye but Mom I know you're with me everyday. So I know you'll be watching on Graduation Day. I owe it all to you, Dad and Foster. E.T., H. G., B. P., T. C., and the rest of my friends, thanks for all the memories. Thank you WC and Good Luck to all who remain!

"Laughter is not at all a bad beginning for a friendship, and it is far the best ending for one." Oscar Wilde

John Guchemand

German
Baltimore, Maryland

This is the problem; that we live & as we live each body cell must change. We dream, & as we dream our dreams must change. We eat, & in devouring life, we change.

(part of "Doubts before Dreaming," by Erica Jong)

Brandon Hopkins

Humanities
Frederick, Maryland

The world which I have departed is a menagerie. The dawn is breaking on a new world, a jungle world in which the lean spirits roam with sharp claws. If I am a hyena I am a lean and hungry one: I go forth to fatten myself.
Henry Miller

Amy Lynne Harmon

Chemistry
Sociology minor
Owings Mills, MD

To everyone who has made my four years here unforgettable-thank you. You've given me the best times of my life. Dani-you've kept me sane these past 11 years (sort of). I'll miss you. John-we can't say that it's been boring! Thanks for always making me smile. Sarah and Melissa-I'll miss you guys. Thanks for all the fun. To the chem gang-you made hell bearable. Good luck. To my ZTA sisters-you guys are the greatest. Thanks for all the crazy times. Mom and Dad-without you, none of this would have been possible. Thank you for helping me become the person I am. I love you.
Later on WAC. It's been fun.
"Yesterday brought the beginning, tomorrow brings the end, but somewhere in the middle we've become the best of friends"
—Unknown

Lauren Marlo Levine

Psychology
Hispanic Studies minor
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Mom, my best friend. I am so glad that we have each other. Daddy, I miss you so much. I love you. Remember all ye that existence is pure joy; that all the sorrows are but shadows; they pass & are done; but there is that which remains. -Liber AL II.9

Chris (Poop), my hetaera and love. Always.

Beauty and strength, leaping laughter and delicious languor, force and fire, are of us. -Liber ALII.20

And it harm none, do what ye will. -Wiccan Rede Blessed be!

Melissa Ellwanger

Biology
Greensboro, Maryland
"Life's a long song. But the tune ends too soon for us all....So I'll pour a cup to you my darling–Raise it up and say Cheerio." –I. A.
Mom, Dad, Lena, Alexi–Thank you so much for your unconditional love and support. I could never have made it without you.
B. S.–We pulled each other through, making sure we didn't work too hard—so easily persuaded. Love you. Remember–if the walk isn't good, let him go on by.
To my friends and sisters–Remember the tears, Remember the laughter, the day we met and all that followed after.

Becky Stephens

Political Science
Philosophy minor
Hagerstown, Maryland
"Set the gearshift for the high gear of your soul, you've got to run like an antelope out of control." Phish
Thanks Mom and Daddy for being my best friends and biggest supporters, I love you!
Alpha Chi's: words from the wise: "A little rebelion now and then is a good thing." Don't let anyone ever tell you differently! Love you and miss you.. MEAN IT!
M.E.: What would I have done without you? Thanks for making it easier for me to procrastinate. Love you! To the rest of my friends, old & new, without you my 4 years here would not have been complete. Thank you!

Jennifer M. Hammer

English and Education
Eatontown, New Jersey

"In the sun that is young once only,
Time let me play and be
Golden in the mercy of his means..."
Dylan Thomas

Mom & Dad–Thank you for your sacrifices and your unconditional love. Chris–thank you for believing in me. Many thanks and all my love to those who made me laugh:
"Never shall I leave the places that I love. Never shall they go from my heart. Even though my eyes are somewhere else." Nancy Wood

Mark C. Heagney

International Studies
Bridgewater, Massachusetts

For my parents, who gave me the utmost in support and love
For my brothers who put up with me when I was home
For my friends, past and present, for the fun, the gossip, the tears and the laughter
Words are not enough
Thank you
A la prochaine fois

Elizabeth Barlow

Baltimore, MD
Biology major

If things did not change then there would be no butterflies.

Thank you Dad, Mom, Colleen, Edward and my extended support system. Without your love, encouragement and your pride in me, my four years may not have turned out so well. I love you!!!!!

Don't forget when times get difficult smile in the mirror and wave "Hello!"

Even though the time may pass, the memory will endure.
Thanks for the memories.

Love, BARLOW

I learn by going where I have to go.
-Theodore Roethke

Cherie Gallini

Piscataway, NJ
Business/Economics

To my family - Mom, Dad, and Rich - Thank you for your love and support, you are my inspiration. I love you!

Forever young, I want to be forever young.
Do you really want to live forever?
- Alphaville

Susanne Gutjahr

German Assistant

Thanks to everybody that has made my two years here unforgettable!

"Voici mon secret. Il est tres simple: on ne voit bien qu'avec le coeur. L'essentiel est invisible pour les yeux."
–A. de Saint-Exupery

Amy Eleanor Peterson

Biology
Philosophy minor
Derwood, Maryland

There is pleasure in the pathless woods,
There is rapture on the lonely shore,
There is society, where none intrudes,
By the deep Sea, and music in its roar:
I love not Man the less, but Nature more...
Lord Byron

Thank you Mom and Dad for never saying you can't, Lisa for always being a part of me and Doug for showing the way, and to all my friends, the world is in your hands!
Thor, you are the best!

Angela D.A. Panton

nternational Studies

Washington College has given me so many wonderful memories. It is a place of earning, fulfillment, challenge, and most mportant, family.
Thank you WAC.

Stacey Beth Hammond

Biology
Cincinnati, Ohio

"There are places I remember
All my life, though some have changed.
Some forever, not for better.
Some have gone, and some remain.
All these places have their moments,
With lovers and friends
I still can recall.
In my life, I loved them all."
John Lennon

To my family, friends and Kevin–No matter how far from the path I wander, I will always come back to you, come back home. Thank you for everything.

Kevin Joseph Wakelee

Political Science
Norwalk, Connecticut

You spend your youth anticpating college. You spend your college years anticipating getting out into the real world. But now that my time here is done, I miss it already.

You learn many thing in college...who your friends are, what you want your life to be like, and basically how life works in general. And now I'm leaving here a stronger, smarter person.

Thanks to my parents, Pepper andAlice, all my friends, and my little Bean.

Kevin D. Harms

History
Brielle, New Jersey

"Sometimes you get the bear and sometimes the bear gets you."

Tim Hoffacker

Business Management
Boyds, Maryland

Don't be scared of the Butter!
To all the days I don't remember from drinking and butter.
To all the boys at White Cottage and on the Rugby team. Go Sho'men

Kari C. Lee

Business Management and German
Bel Air, Maryland

To my Zeta sisters–Good Luck & Thanks for the fun. To the Volleyball Team–Play Hard & Good Luck. Net, Steph, Tina, Cat & Katie–Never forget: Lambruski Wine, Tingle & Drool, Frodface & Dixie Cups. I love you all. Mom, Dad, Court & Chris–Thank you for everything & I love you.

Kristen Keener

English
French minor

"Well, to each his lot, and none is light."
Herman Hesse

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Paul Kenny

Economics
Dublin, Ireland

Mam and Dad thank you for all your love and support over the years and through college.
HAR thanks for being my bestest college friend : -)
To the brothers of Theta Chi–Run amok and wreck the Gaf lads!
–Mully "THE WORM"

Gene B. Vassel

English
Merrick, New York

To the Vassel Pride: Thanks for always pushing me to the next level and supporting me along the way. To Mom's generous heart my Father's strength and to my older sisters that I too, will follow in your footsteps in conquering the Big Apple.
To the Brothers of Theta Chi–Thanks for the drinking problem.
To my Mates in Australia
To Kevin, Stacey and Marcia–the freshman four
To the Ruggers–Play Hard, Drink and be Naked!
Two Tequilla's and tennis shoes–Rockstar
To the Lambs

To try as many things
and to see as many places
and to meet the craziest people.
Outward Bound

Paula Kathleen Link

Psychology
Eaton, New York

A wise man once told me this story...
He said, "Come to the edge."
They said, "No, it's too high!"
He said, "Come to the edge."
They said, "No, we're afraid!"
He said, "Come to the edge,"
And they did and he pushed them
and they flew.
Dad, Mom, Anissa and Andrew, thank you, each of you has helped me to fly. I love you! Thank you to all of my friends, I'll miss you!

Jennifer Lyn Biondi

English
Kennett Square, Pennsylvania

"...being with you is like walking on a very clear morning–definitely the sensation of belonging there." EBW
Thanks to Mom, Dad, my family, my friends and bar buddies, and Jacob. I could not have made it this far without any of you. Thank you for making my dreams come true. I love you all.

Dani Heath

Chemistry
Biology minor
Baltimore, MD

"Never was a cornflake girl..."
Tori Amos
I never thought that in four short years, I could live so incredibly much.
Amy, is this the end? or the beginning? Here's to eleven great years.
To my two ex-roomies, you have to admit:
there was never a dull moment.
To everyone who touched my life—
you know who you are—
thank you from the bottom of my heart.

...because life's too important
to be taken seriously.

Jennifer Lukacs

Business
East Brunswick, New Jersey

To my family: Thank you for everything, especially the sacrifices you have made to make this a reality–I love you!
Kristin, Cat & Tina: We've been through a lot over the past 4 years. Thanks for always being there for me. I'll never forget you guys!
Heather & Liza: Don't let the distance get in the way–I love you guys!
Wayne: Thank you for your inspiration and support these past five years. I Love You, Always!

Wayne Lyons

Business
East Brunswick, New Jersey

To the Folks: Yes, Everything is done. Thanks for Everything, even the harassing phone calls. I Love ALL of you Even Jeanette.
Brent: SALLY it has been great. I'll miss the trips to the BlueBird. Keep in touch.
To ALL the Boys in the F.C.–you have been my family away from home. I'll never forget you.
Jen: Well Hon, It's over, Now we must build and look Forward to the Rest of our lives. I love you! You're still only getting TWO!

Elizabeth Della Massing

Psychology
Baltimore, Maryland
I am what I am! –Popeye
Maybe nothing lasts forever,
not the mountains or the sea, but the times we had together, they will always be with me. –Samples
To Mom and Stephen–Thank you for your love, wisdom, and encouragement you have given through the years. I love you.
Thanks to my good friends who provided me with good times and lots of laughter. AX–I love ya!
Spencer–I love you always and forever!
I don't remember who met who first...
All I remember is all of us being together.
–St. Elmo's Fire

Spencer White

Sociology
Baldwin, Maryland

For I am as wild as the law will let me be
And as ruthless as time permits
Asking no quarter and giving none
Dealing with all the devil throws my way
And thanking whatever gods may be
For my unconquerable soul
For I am the 'Invictus' D.A.C.
Sometimes at night. When I hear the wind. I wish I was crazy again. Cash
Thank you Mom. I finally grew up, as you would have wanted! BW–
Let us fish. Elizabeth, all my love.
Roll with the punches, Sheriff.

Amy Elizabeth Rizzitello

Biology
St. Michaels, Maryland
"Tomorrow is the most important thing in life. Comes into us at midnight very clean. It's perfect when it arrives and it puts itself in our hands. It hopes we've learned something from yesterday." J.W.
Thanks to my family, especially Mom and Dad–you have been my inspiration. AX–thanks for the friendship and memories. To Liz, this is not goodbye, our friendship has just begun.
Elizabeth and Spencer,
thanks for all the laughter!

"A lifetime is not too long to live as friends–
Friends are friends forever!"

Lee Ann Lezzer

Biology
Millersville, Maryland

"Always remember that your own resolution to succeed is more important than anything else." Abraham Lincoln
Mom and Dad–Thank you for all of the opportunities and support you have given me.
Eb and Di–Thanks for showing me true friendship.
Toby–Thank you for all your love and support. You truly are my best friend. I love you.

Tim Pilarski

Economics
Baltimore, Maryland

"That time is Past, and all its aching Joys are now no more, and all its dizzy raptures."
Wordsworth

Mom–THANK YOU. Without your love and guidance, I would not have been blessed with such great opportunity.
Lee Ann–You've been my best friend ever since we've been together. I Love You.

Alicia Nicole Sievert

Biology Major
Philosophy Minor
Sykesville, Maryland

"I can tell by the way that you're standing, with your eyes filling with tears, that its habit alone that keeps you turning for home even though your home is righ here. Where the pople who love you are gathered, under the wise wishing tree. May we all be consideredthen straight on delivered down to the jubilee. Because the people who love you are waiting, and they'll wait just as long as need be. When we look back and say those were halcyon days, we're talking about jubilee." -Mary Chapin Carpenter

Washington College will always be my home, my jubilee. Thank you all for the wonderful memories that I will always hold close to my heart. But most of all, thank you Mom and Dad for making all of this possible.

Laura Elizabeth Meerholz

International Studies and Spanish
Political Science Minor
Bel Air, Maryland

"For you see, my fellow Republicans, we are the change!" -Ronald Reagan

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Elizabeth Moga

Charlottesville, Va
Sociology

The better part of one's life
consists of his friendships.
A pocket is no place for a smile
anyway.
Live well, laugh often, love
much.

I ain't often right but I never
been wrong,
It seldom turns out like it does
in the song.
Once in a while you get shown
the light
In the strangest of places if you
look at it right.

Justin-thank you for your
honesty.
You have taught me more than
you'll ever know.

Abby Rebecca Moss

Interdisciplinary Culture Studies
Middletown, Maryland

"Human beings are not born once and for all on the day their mothers give birth to them --- life obliges us over and over to give birth to ourselves."
- Gabriel Garcia Marquez

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Charla Michele Jones
Biology

How beautiful is youth! How bright it gleams! With its illusions, aspirations, dreams! Book of Beginnings, story without End,
Each maid a heroine, and each man a friend!
All possibilities are in its hands,
No danger daunts it, and no foe withstands;
In its sublime audacity of faith,
"Be then removed!" it to the mountain saith,
And with ambitious feet, secure and proud,
Ascends the ladder leaving on the cloud!
Longfellow: Morituri Salutamus

Erin Miller
International Studies and Hispanic Studies
Chester, Virginia

"We have to laugh. Because laughter, we already know, is the final evidence of freedom." Rosario Castellanos

Hey Jules & Ed, Jason, Elizabeth, Thank you for all of your support and love!
For all of the memories, thank y'all so much:
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Jennifer Voss
Political Science
Bridgeton, NJ

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Michael Patrick Davis

Political Science
Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania

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To the Brothers of Phi Sigma- Never lose sight of what makes you special- Good luck to you all!!

Kyle Bowers

Biology
North East, Maryland

Red Dog, The Projects, Damn Right..., Jager at Christmas, Miller Time, Super-freak, Tree Tags, 671 Club and hotdogs, Hail Drake, Dana's Pimp Daddy Mac, Power Hour and Fajitas, Late-night Shrink, Pantyhose, Kitty Litter, Monsoon Party, Long Bikerides, Bluebird, Jelly Girl, Bonecrusher, Stealing Bread, Mad Dog Night, Big Red and the Ick
Thank you to my mom and everyone else who made all of the good times possible and the rough ones bearable.

Jessica Lynn Dindino

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Well it's been four incredible years at WAC and yes I did spend more semester at WAC then abroad. To all my friends and professors thanks for the memories, I'll never forget them. And to my parents thank-you and I love you.

Catherine Langan

History
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Vienna, Virginia

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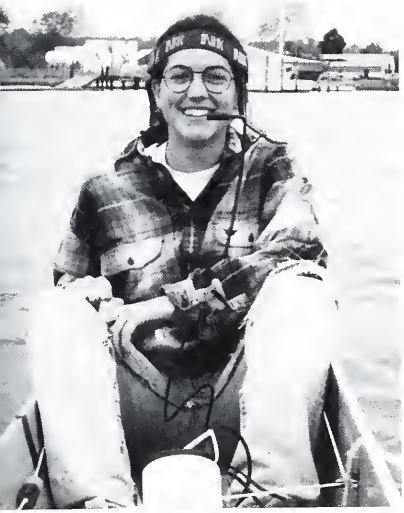
Mike- Thank you for all your love and support. I Love You.

To the Sisters of AOPi, Thanks for the fun, memories and friendships.

Jessica M. Tunison

Psychology

"You spend your life waiting for the moment when you are free of the history your life makes for you-the monent you can step outßside of who you once were into the body of the person you have always been becoming. Then, from that point on, the things that have been done to you no longer matter. They become a part of the past...a past that you are no longer part of..."
-Jacqueline Woodson



Christina Chiarchiaro

Psychology

"Never look down on anyone unless
you're helping them up."
Jesse Jackson

Robyn J. Mitchell

French and Iterdisciplinary Culture Studies
Math minor
Severna Park, Maryland

Now we watch out of doors for May
and the travels of summer ahead
with, What will we bring?
Thoughts of trains,
thoughts of sea.
Will they come? And what will we say?
How Possible everything is
in the wondering,
endless wait.
And how sure is joy, and safe.
In May I will say,
I am sorry and glad
together
now.

Karen Peris, The Innocence Mission

Jake Mullins

"When self-deceit is destroyed and a man begins to see the difference between the mechanical and the conscious in himself, there begins a struggle for the realization of consciousness in life and for the subordination of the mechanical to the conscious."

-P.D. Ouspensky

"Show me a sane man, and I will cure him for you."

-Carl Jung

thanks,

Jake Mullins

Pearl Pham

Political Schience and Art Major
Berwyn, Pennsylvania

Love to my mom, pa, & mikki: wu-wei all da way! My friends, "pookie"- i Love you all. surround yourself in beauty and art. (pookie = don)

"Dada is bitterness laughing at everything that has been accomplished, sanctified...no more painters, no more writers, no more anarchists...like everything in life, dada is useless, everything happens in a completely idiotic way."

"You'll dance to anything by any bunch of stupid europeans who come over here with their big hairdos & plan on taking our money. instead of giving your cash where it belongs- to a decent American artist like myself." -Dead Milkmen

"Keats & Yates are on your side, but Wilde is on mine." - Smiths

Claire Pitt

Art Major
Shurlock Row, England

"It's time to play the music
It's time to light the lights
It's time to get things started
on the Muppet Show tonight..."
- The Muppets

"I did it my way"
- Frank Sinatra/Sid Vicious

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James Pitt

Sociology Major
Shurlock Row, England

I scraped through somehow!

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It was hard, but I did it!!

Stephanie Renee' Self

Psychology
Sociology Minor
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Every person needs to have their moment in the sun, when they raise their arms in victory, knowing that on this day, at this hour, they were at their very best! HJB
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Leanne Richelle Cole

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Wetumpka, Alabama

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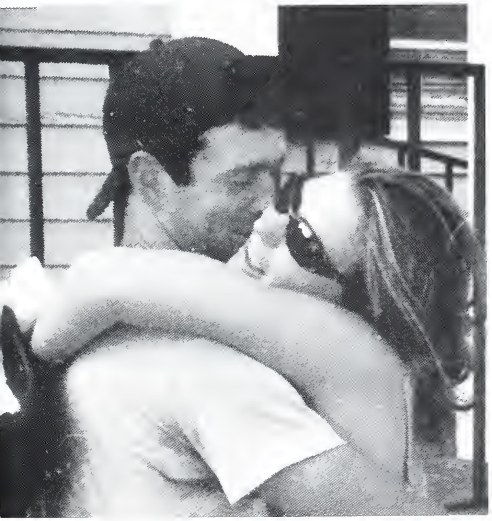
"Don't settle for success when excellence is within your grasp"

William S. Merriken III

History
Moorestown, New Jersey

To the friends I have made
and the good times we've had
I raise a toast to you.
Mom and Dad–
Thanks can't say enough
I love you.
To my brothers
Long live the Lambdas!
Erin–you're amazing, thank you
for everything



Paul O Hearn

Humanities
Lutherville, Maryland

"Since the dawn of time,
man has yearned to destroy the sun."
C. M. Burns

Kristen J. Nemecek

Sociology
Baldwin, Maryland

"Truly great friends are hard to find, hard to leave and impossible to forget."
To my friends–Thank you for the unforgettable times we've shared. You are all irreplaceable!
Mom, Dad, and Kim–Thank you for your love and support. I could not have done it without you. I love you!

Missy Windsor

Psychology
Biology minor
Cambridge, Maryland

"When I step into the light
My arms are open wide
When I step into the light
My eyes are searching wildly
Would you not like to be
Sitting on top of the world
With your legs hanging free"
D. Matthews

To Mom and Dad–You gave me the confidence, support and determination to make it this far–I love you!
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Heather Noble

Psychology
Gender Studies minor
New Jersey

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"It's the friends you can call up at 4 a.m. that matter." Marlene Dietrich

Adam Carter Ruby

History
Southport, Connecticut

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tephanie Joan Woodward

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ychology minor
d Hill, Pennsylvania

ife is short, but sweet for certain, celebrate we will!" Dave Matthews
's been fun and jontz." Püte
anks to my family, especially my mom, friends, Kendall (sweet tea),
d the people along the way for all the memories.
shall be released." Bob Dylan

Paul Smail

Check six. And keep the faith.

Kelli K. Youngblood

Danbury, Connecticut

"I have of late—but wherefore I know not—lost all my mirth...."
~Hamlet, Act II, scene ii

"Simple things are sometimes hard."
~Tawes Theater, Stage Right Proscenium Wall

Heather Ann Pilar

English
Elkton, Maryland

"It is fun to have fun but you have to know how."
The Cat in the Hat, Dr. Seuss

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Aaron: You make the comedown easy,
You've been a friend.
(J & M Chain, o'course)

Sarah, my best friend, and Amy (champagne, my dear? I like it too...): Keep the faith, sistas.

"Everyone I know has a big but"
Pee-Wee's Big Adventure

See you later, suckers!

Tim Parent

Katherine Jean Pagliughi

Business Management
Matawan, New Jersey

Dad- Thank you for allowing me the freedom to walk on my own but for always being there to pick me up when I fell. I couldn't have come this far without you!

Allison Wentworth

Biology
Millersville, Maryland
"Our lives are woven by the weavers of time in a pattern we cannot see, and we are unaware of what sweet miracles may come." -Flavia Weedn

Washington College has been full of sweet miracles to be thankful for: my family made it possible by encouraging me and offering me unconditional love; my friends made it memorable by sharing all of the good times; Christopher, you made it complete, just by being you.

Jesssica F. Cramer

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Devin- Bigger than Texas!
"Never explain- your friends do not need it and your enemies will not believe it anyway."

Andrew Bernard Van Ogtrop

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Wilmington, Delaware

Mom and Dad, thank you for everything.
Good luck Brothers.
Special thanks to DS, GA, R-Dog, CS, Hugg, NDR, CVOH, DH, MAVO, and WAC LA-CROSSE.
To Bon, Gear up a King-K.
There are more important things than grades; Winning the Caddy tournament for instance.
-Judge Smails

Dana J. Rechen

Chemistry
Cherry Plain, New York

To my family and loved ones....Thank You for all the support! I couldn't have done it without you!

A special thanks to all those people who have put a smile on my face these past four years; for as I get older and reflect on the days at WAC, I will be able to enjoy it for a second time.
To my brothers of KA, thanks for all the memories; I won't forget ya!

Our College *Does* Have a Master Plan

It began with the construction of Daly Hall, a new addition to campus that contains academic and administrative areas, and will continue with restructuring of the school's layout. Under construction is Harford Hall dormitory, scheduled to open in September 1997. Architect Adam Gross is the lead designer in the master plan to improve the Washington College campus over the next decades. In the works are plans to add more dorms to the northern end of campus, ultimately forming an arc around the baseball field as well as rerouting roads that bisect the campus. Seniors returning to WAC in the future will no doubt be excited to see the results.

Lisa Fatima Purvis

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Baltimore, Maryland

"Destiny is not a matter of chance; it is a matter of choice. It is not something to be waited for but, rather something to be achieved." William Jennings Bryan

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Amy Povloski

I would like to give special love and thanks to my parents! Without you this would not be possible. You can finally celebrate! Chris, thanks for being first so I had someone to follow. I love you. Finally, to my friends who have helped mold me to who I am today, Kelly, Kamala, and Ruthie.
College is a growing experience which causes change. Change is hard but it makes you stronger.
Somewhere ages and ages hence:
Two roads diverged in a wood, and
I--
I took the one less traveled by,
And that made all the difference. (Frost)

Josh Lawrence

Humanities
Fairfax, Virginia

I remember this:
K&L roadtrips White Tornado D.C. E&J Obvious Child Wicomico We walk through the woods Catoctin Mountains All those sweet conspiracies Covert mission 11/6/94 in a heart 'cause I love you guys "She looks sad" Breathing in room 30 Kent Hacking Earth Day D.A.R LBI Painting Driving with the windows down Every thought's a possibility K., We'll always have Barc., Rome, Florence, Alps, Paris, everywhere Thank you Camden Yards Rugby N.Y. with J, P&B Florida Dushore T, J&K sleepover Walking and rolling in the snow. Remember this in your heart.

Kate Meagher

English
Ewing, New Jersey

"If you walk around in any old clothes on the theory that what counts is only what's inside, not your outside, think again! Men like women who wear fashionable, sexy clothes in bright colors. Why not please them?"
-The Rules
#1 New York Times bestseller

Liz Mangano

Biology
Pitman, New Jersey

To My Parents- Thanks for everything and especially for believing in me. I love you!

J.T.L. IV and K.E.M.- Remember all the good times- Covert Mission, hacking, the beach, road trips, concerts, florida, white tornado, pre-orientation.

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"You said good friends are hard to come by, I laughed and bought you a beer 'cause it's too corny to cry" -Indigo Girls

Taryn R. Venner

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I now believe that truth lies not in logic but in hope, both past and future. -Amy Tan

Congratulations Mom and Dad– we did it! Thank you for everything. Ronald & Jaclyn, you rule.

Tie-tie girls, see ya at the Panhellenic Reunion. Remember Tay-tay loves ya, sistah friends!

Cherae Hynson

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Greater is He that is in me than he that is in the world. -I John 4:44

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Kamala Gordon

English
Claymont, Deleware

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Ronnetta Denise Church

When you learn, teach.
When you get, give.
As for me,
I shall not be moved.
Maya Angelou

I rise.
I rise.
I rise.
Maya Angelou

I rise, higher than ever before
moving on to meet my fortune and fame
Leaving this place
a different person than I came.
R. Church

To Nat--Oooh! I'm going to miss you.
Terry & Lita- can't stop there!
Phyllis& Betsy, I'll never forget all the nights of endless conversations! And we still have more to come.

Jackie Janeen Smith

i am a black heroism of words
that refuse
to be buried alive
with the liars. --Audre Lorde

dark hands held each other and watch the plantation burn with smiles. no more work for massa, no more work for them, if they build another one will burn it down again. --js

i am here because of the journey that is on the soles of my ancestor's feet-- thank you

Advise, if it is important to you, share it, even at the risk of being mininterpreted, or twisted.

--got no time for fake ones--

Los Angeles via Colorado Springs, Colorado!
Survival Major! Sociology Minor.

Kristin Elizabeth Smith

International Studies and Spanish
Baldwin, Maryland

"There is nothing- no circumstance, no trouble- that can touch me until it has gone past God, through to me. If it has come that far, it has come with a purpose."
Thank you Mom, Dad, and family. No matter where or how far away I may go, I will always be back, for without you, I would be lost.
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And thank you Paige for just being you.
I love you all!

Paulina Sierra Samano

International Studies and Economics
French Minor

Por un México mejor!
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Cat Barrett

English
Gettysburg, Pennsylvania

"Love deeply and passionately. You may get hurt, but it is the only way to live life completely."

I followed my heart and it led me to you, Evert--my "rock." I love you because you have touched my soul, stolen my heart and given me wings and made me fly. You are truly my dream come true!

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Tina M. Smith

Business Management
Taneytown, Maryland

"I never liked the rain until I walked through it with you."
-Clint Black

Mom & Dad- You have made me who I am today-Thank You does not say enough. Tim- Thanks for all of the years of mental abuse, it prepared me well for college. :)
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J.P. -you are my happiness, my love, my friend.
I LOVE YOU... August 16th!!

Charlotte Leslie Stephenson

Psychology
Potomac, Maryland

To all my friends- old and new, I'm gonna miss the hell out of y'all.

"It is the friends you can call up at 4 a.m. that matter." -Marlene Dietrich

To Will, Thanks for not only being my boyfriend but also my best friend- I love you.

To my brother, I can't wait to meet the lucky girl who finally snags you.

To dad, You are a true survivor.

To mom, You are my hero.

Robin Cartenson

Amanda Schwartz

A big thanks to my family for this wonderful opportunity. I love you guys!

Krista and the girls- keep up the partying, be back to check on you guys! -007

To my friends- Thanks for all the good times, and the best of luck in your future endeavors!- PUTE

Kate- What an experience! Nos vemos en España!
(Madrid- Fall '96)

Papa- Et voila le grand spectacle!
Finalement ta fille a fini!
Et alors, maintenant quoi?

Michelle Anne Strunge

English
Baltimore, Maryland

"He wants, I want.
Dear God, wouldn't it be
good enough to just drink cocoa?"
-Anne Sexton, "The Ambition Bird"

Eboni Dinelle Taylor

Sociology
Germantown, Maryland

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"Don't let what you cannot do interfere with what you can do."
-John Wooden

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Craig- Thanks for everything

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Heather Amanda Murray

Business Management
History Minor
Mountaintop, Pennsylvania

The Shalaylas, Lilly, Furball, Hoover," Pto. all. '95 & '96, Cayman Is. '97, "224 Kent Circle arties, 521 Washington Ave., "Campus, not n option," "Lies, All Lies," "Spark It Sparky," Everyone's a Tinky," "Where'd you get that ?" "Eric," caller I.D." "Garbage Runs," Blue ird Anyone?" "K-T where have you been? I- you passed me." "H & Hoover- Who's riving? "I'm sober." "Flood of '96," Frostburg Fight," "Show me the money!" Animal House part duex." "Little Girdle & ig Girdle," "The Ding," "Kirby- relent, relax, etreat!" "I am never drinking again." "Sat. & un. sketches." "A.C. in the C.I." "MooMoo's." May Day'96" "Billy Ray '97" " Yo Heatha, ou gonna let me in?" "Where are we, Kuait?" "Juju Fruits Anyone?" "Clueless!" "Has to go to the gas station." "Carrots." Mask" "Blue Light." "Keg stands through itchen window." "Is that bad?" "Days & .W." "afternoon runs," "Road Rules Maraion." "Smokie Treats," "Willy Wonka, You're e Bomb, Baby." "EEEGS," "BuBye!" oodLuck- 211 Quees St., AOPi, E.W., M.W., .W., H.K., P.H., S.W., B.K.- We love you, anks for all the memories.

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Brian Lee Slagle

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"If you can be amused by the worm trying to be god, then in fact you may be able to go on trying and being arrogant without fearing paranoia or bringing down upon yourself the evil eye."
-A.H. Maslow

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The best four years of my life thanks to Mom & Dad, GEC & MC, EEM, and Phi Delta Theta. Brothers-above all else- stay tight, stay true, and cherish every day we have together. Remember fellas... "You can always retake a test, but you can never retake a party!"

Andrew Noyes King

History
Aiken, South Carolina

Thanks to my family and my boys= Always True.
"Life is what you make it, so if your not going full bore, get out of my way."
Sincerely, I.M. Fletcher
P. S. Have a Nice Day!

Brian Michael Dorst

Economics
Garden City, New York

To my family- Mom, Dad, Kevin, Peter, and Clancy, Thank you so much I love you all. To all my friends, much love. To the Phi Delts: thank you, carry on the great tradition.
"Well Bless my soul, cause its time to roll" Allgood
"There's a lot of stupid people in this world and I'm not one of them" -B.F.

Derek P. Walsh

Economics
Clifton Heights, Pennsylvania

Thanks to my parents for their support. Hang in there Annemarie: two more years. Thanks to the KC Crew: Chops, Paco, Scoops, Yoda, Tractor, and Dump for making our two years in exile memorable.

"You've got to trust you instincts and let go of regret. You've got to bet on yourself now star because that's your best bet." -311

Jarrett F. Pasko

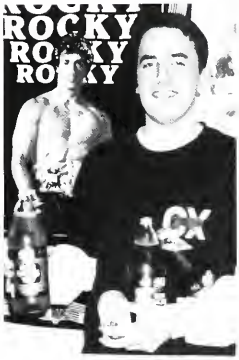
International Studies
Spanish Minor
Bowie, Maryland

Thanks to God and my family for the guidance and support. To my friends and brothers- thank you all for the memories. "Siempre Pura Vida."

"I must be traveling on now, 'cause there's too many places I've got to see."
-Free Bird

Christoher J. Camillo

History
Cortland, New York



Special thanks to my parents, family, and friends. Good times-deking security, BK free bird, Irongut Challenge, the resume workshop, savage bushmen, cuffed Jordache shorts, and Lt. Castillo.

"They say that you can't judge a book by its cover, honey. You've got to look inside to see what's real."
- Miss Betty

Alicia Washburn

Psychology Major
Biology Minor
Chestertown, Maryland

Dad & Mom- thank you for making sure that I can follow my dreams. You're the best. Loretta- good luck at WAC next year! Go crazy. B.F.- thank you for sticking it out, I love you. AS, HN, KN, AB, SW, MW, AP, SN and everyone else- thank you for making these four years so memorable- I will always love you guys! SN- "I can do whatever I want. You want why?" "Maybe nothing lasts forever/ Not the mountains or the sea/ But the times we've had together/ They will always be with me" -The Samples

Stacey Lynn Waicker

Psychology
Lutherville, Maryland

"Afoot and light-hearted I take to the open road. Healthy, free, the world before me. The long brown path before me leading wherever I choose" -Walt Whitman

Thank you to my family for their unconditional love and support. Also to my friends, especially Moga and Robyn, I wouldn't be where I am today without you. I love you all!

"We're just 2 lost souls swimming in a fish bowl year after year."

-Pink Floyd

Until we meet again...

Christopher Mark Watkins

Canandaigua, NY
Major: English
Minor: Art

"Do you have an idea for your story yet?"
"No, I'm waiting for inspiration. You can't just turn on creativity like a faucet. You have to be in the right mood."
"What mood is that?"
"Last-minute panic."
--Calvin & Hobbes

"With great power must come great responsibility."
--Peter Parker

John Michael Weaver Jr.

Chemistry Major
Mathematics Minor
Baltimore, Maryland

I love you Mom and Dad....

Memories of my college years, friends, and myself:*Damn it, the laws of physics do not apply to this lab!*If we knew what we were doing, it would not be called research,would it? --Einstein*Willing to be a backrub victim.*I'm not shy, I'm just studying my prey.*I'm tired. Big surprise.*Hey! I resemble that remark...*I got my car realigned yesterday... Turns out it's Chaotic Evil...*If I die first, will you tuck me into my casket?*"If love is the answer, could you rephrase the question?" -- Lily Tomlin*The world is coming to an end. Please log off.*If you're not part of the solution, you're part of the precipitate.*Fig Newton: The force required to accelerate a fig 39.37 inches/sec^2.*I'm not good, I'm not nice, I'm just right.*I brought a light bub at the store to put in my rum!*Pick up your mind, you're getting the gutter dirty!*On a cloth untrue, with a twisted cue, and elliptical billiard balls!*All my friends and I are crazy. That's the only thing that keeps us sane. Loree Jon Jones rocks my world...

Thomas P. Webb

Political Science
Salisbury, Maryland

"Try to be the best you can be. Focus. Concentrate. Trust your instincts and your common sense...Give, and you will receive--open a door for somebody else. The more you share, the more you will have...Don't make a living, make a life. the possessions you gather do not define you-- it's the people you know and love who count."

-Fred L. Turner, Senior Chairman, McDonalds Corporation

Y. Jeffrey Lee

Economics
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To Mom, Dad and Robert:
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Heather Ann Wilder

Sociology
Middletown, New Jersey

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And now the end is near and so I face the final curtain...Regrets, I've had a few, But then again too few to mention...I've loved, I've laughed and cried, I've had my fill, my share of losing
And now as tears subside I find it all so amusing
To think–I did all that
And may I say, not in a shy way
Oh no, oh no not me, I did it my way.
Frank Sinatra

To all of the Sigs, past and present, we thank you for the adventure!

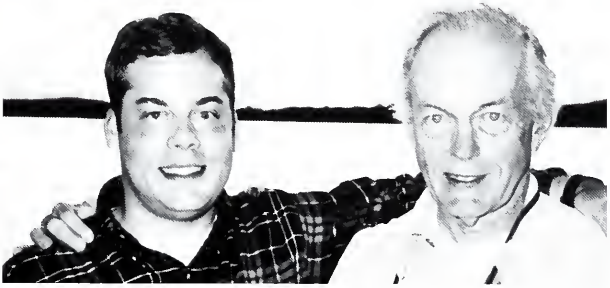
Shelley Kathleen O Brian

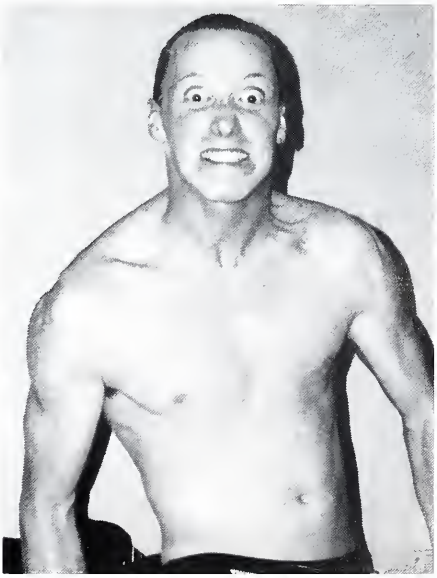
English
Hummelstown, PA

Mommy and Daddy–Thank you both for giving up so much of yourselves to be sure that I would always have what I thought I needed. I love and appreciate you more than you could ever know. M.S.W.–We'll always have Mexico?! XOXO Jenny, Rach, Al and Jo–I love you all so much! Heathy–you were my Roommate, my Jester, my Therapist, and my Best Friend. I love you and will always help you drink your wine!!

Benjamin Owen Wentworth 12/22/73

Psychology
Washington, D. C.





Erric Hetzer

Chris Wimer

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History Minor
Monroe, Virginia

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Rebecca Lynn Williams

Mathematics
Earleville, Maryland

"One turns not back who is bound to a star"
Leonardo da Vinci

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/ilmington, Delaware

iddy well little brother, viddy well
-Little Alex

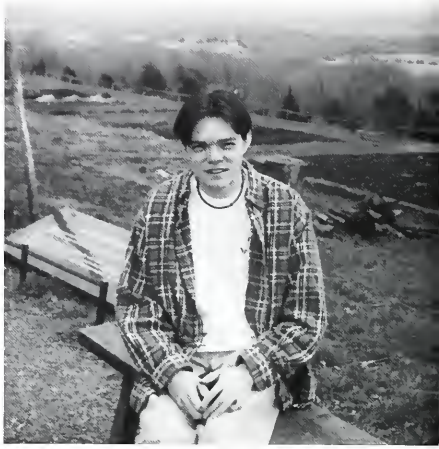
n to the next session
ood luck to all the ruggers, may your boot
ways overflow
t's in the punch"
ove to my family and friends

C/1995 01, a.k.a. Comet Hale-Bopp

1997 brought the Hale-Bopp comet to the skies, causing much delight for stargazers, and perhaps affecting us in more mysterious ways, if you believe in that sort of thing. It was visible in the early morning hours during its approach in March, then available in the evening in late March and early April. It was an exceptionally large comet, with a nucleus 25 miles across and a 50-60 million mile tail, and easy to spot blazing across the sky. It last passed Earth 4300 years ago and will not return for another 2300 years. It might be called a good omen for the 1997 graduates.

Ted Knight

Philosophy
Political Science Minor
"Now it is not too much to ask for some mere cheese, is it?" -Joe D'Urso
Washington College Spring Elm '96



"And every word is nonsense, but I understand, and oh lord, I'm not ready for this sort of thing"
-Adam Duritz

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Richard Kane

Economics and Humanities
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mathematical elaboration is a time-honored way of dressing up a banal idea. --Paul Krugman

there is no "economic motive," only economic factors.
--Lionel Robbins

Amy Scarlett

Marcia Mc Gee
SOCIOLOGY
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA

"KISS MY ASS I BOUGHT A BOAT AND AM HEADED OUT TO SEE" LL.
THANKS TO MY WHOLE FAMILY FOR ALWAYS BELIEVING IN ME AND GIVING ME SO MUCH LOVE AND CONFIDENCE.
BRJ- THANKS FOR THE LOVE AND SUPPORT. I LOVE YOU.
BMD, ALS, ANK, HAC; I LOOKED FOR A QUOTE THAT WOULD EXPRESS HOW MUCH YOU ALL MEAN TO ME, BUT NONE COULD EVEN COME CLOSE. YOU ALL MEAN THE WORLD TO ME. THANKS FOR ALWAYS BEING THERE. OUR DAYS TOGETHER HAVE JUST BEGUN. WE ARE FOREVER!!
TO EVERYONE ELSE WHO MADE MY TIME HERE AT WAC SO SPECIAL AND GAVE ME SUCH A WONDERFUL FRIENDSHIP- THANK YOU. I LOVE YOU ALL AND WILL NEVER FORGET YOU. KEEP THE SPIRIT ALIVE!
007 LIVES!
HERE I GO AGAIN.....W.S

Rachel F. Roll

International Studies and German
Gender Studies
Nowhere in Particular

To the Little Sisters of the Apocalypse and other Fellow Travelers:

Keep the faith.
If you must, dissemble.

Look upon my face and tremble. :)

And in the end the meaning's clear
Don't ask what it is-you're here.
-Kit Reed

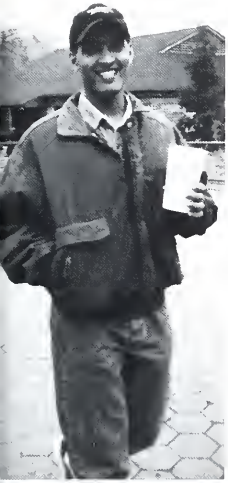
"Never retract, never surrender, never apologize-just get the thing done and let them howl." - Nellie McClung

Brent James Fannin

Business Management
Lewes, Delaware

Mom and Dad- Many thanks for your generous support. I finally made it!
Wayne-MARGARET- We've had some great times. Remember stay away from vodka and keep in touch!
Jen and Heather- Thank you for your kindness.
Katie- Graduation was tought but we made it. Always remember that I love you.

Although life may not always seem fair it is worth living!!



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"In three words I can sum up everything I've learned about life. It goes on." -Robert Frost

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Regis de Ramel

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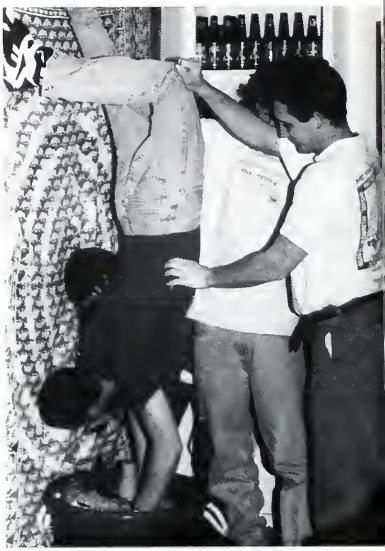
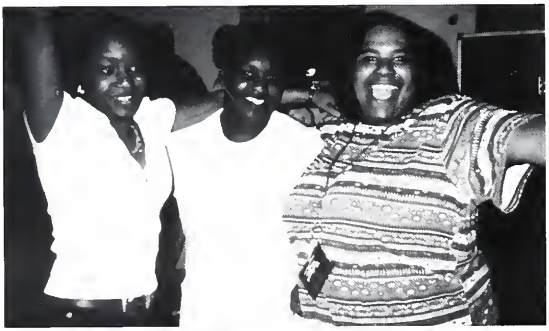
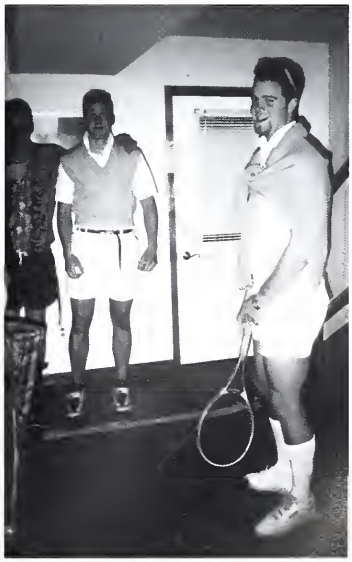
Newport, Rhode Island

--One should never speak without having consuled his lawyer. Mine's on vacation.

Thanks for everything Mom!!







Odyssey

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16 Frank Batleka
00 Travis Beauchamp
2 Lance Cassell
21 Brian Dorst
17 Jon Ferro
23 Dan Gerbasi
14 Geoff Habicht
11 Jesus Hernandez
22 John Jenkins
8 Andrew King
15 Kwabena Konadu
0 Jack Lingo
24 Greg Metrinko
18 Chuck Mullen
6 Tim Ringgold
1 Jeff Scott
9 Greg Shaw
13 Eric Spinato

Villa Julie	7-0 won
York	4-1 won
Christopher Newport	3-4 lost
Gallaudet	3-0 won
Ferrum College	2-3 lost
Gettysburg	0-2 lost
Widener	2-0 won
F&M	1-2 lost
Goucher	2-1 won
Ursinus	0-2 lost
Wesley	2-1won
Delaware Valley	1-0 won
Dickinson	3-0 won
St. Mary's	4-0 won
Muhlenberg	0-0 tied
Johns Hopkins	1-2 lost
Haverford	2-2 tied
Swarthmore	2-0 won
Western Maryland	3-1 won

ENDING WITH STYLE

Winning isn't everything, but it certainly is very important. The soccer team found that out in the beginning of the season. After the first eleven games, (5-0-6), the guys decided it was time to work together. Daniel Gerbasi felt that in order to be successful the team had to unite.

That's just what they did. They went on to win the next four games and ended with an overall record of 11-7-2.

The biggest highlight of the season, hands down, was their tie with the nationally ranked and defending national semifinalist, Muhlenburg. This game served as a confidence booster and proved that they could beat some of the best teams in the nation.

Gerbasi felt that the '96 soccer team definitely earned everyone's respect and will only continue to get better as the players strengthen their playing skills. He said, "We should be the team to watch out for!"

> "I had a great four years playing at WAC and I will miss walking out on the Kib for Saturday games. I might even miss practice once I am gone."
>
> Brian Dorst

14 Stacie Anthony
15 Christyl Arrabal
35 Elizabeth Barlow
5 Serena Boone
10 Leanne Cole
39 Nikki Chmura
33 Heather Cranmer
11 Linda Fortucci
16 Veronica Ganzman
24 Erin Gillin
29 Kim Hardesty
19 Meredith Lutz
18 Carrie McCone
12 Marcia McGee
22 Quincy Miles
36 Sarah Moore
7 Jessica Neaton
21 Amanda Norbury
40 Meghan O'Meara
44 Mandy Pare
6 Amy Scarlett
50 Stephanie Self
13 Sarah Sobon
9 Liz Tessier
20 Annette Thomas

Catholic	4-1 W
Wesley College	6-0 W
Gettysburg	2-3 L
Widener University	5-1 W
Villa Julie	5-0 W
Dickinson	2-1 W
Bryn Mawr	1-0 W
Muhlenburg	6-2 W
Salisbury State	0-3 L
Franklin &Marshall	5-0 W
Randolph Macon	1-0 W
Virginia Wesleyan	3-2 W
Johns Hopkins	2-1 W
College of Notre Dame	1-0 W
Haverford	5-1 W
Western Maryland	1-2 L
Swarthmore	1-2 L
College of NJ	0-6 L

A PROMISING FUTURE

The field hockey team started the season with determination that, after one loss, resulted in a five game winning streak. Supported by coach Sarah Feyerherm (who was named Field Hockey Coach of the Year for the South Region), the team went on to become the first WC field hockey team to go the NCAA Division III playoffs. Veronica Ganzman said, "Our team was dynamic. It's very rare that a team has the ability to rise to a NCAA tournament. I think it shows that we will be strong for many years to come."

One of the highlights of the season was their victory over Johns Hopkins. The team managed to beat Hopkins in overtime, just as Hopkins had done to them the year before. Junior Sarah Sobon had twelve assists (a school record) and scored eight goals. Senior goalie Stephanie Self allowed only nineteen goals in seventeen regular season games. The '96 Shorewomen set a school record for goals during the regular season, scoring an outstanding fifty, crushing the previous record of thirty-one. Senior Leanne Cole felt a closeness to her teammates that she had never felt with any other team. She said, "This team had so much talent and desire-it was a priviledge to be a part of it."

Heard on the field:

"Keep the dream alive"
"NCAA's baby"
"Chestertown, dammit!"

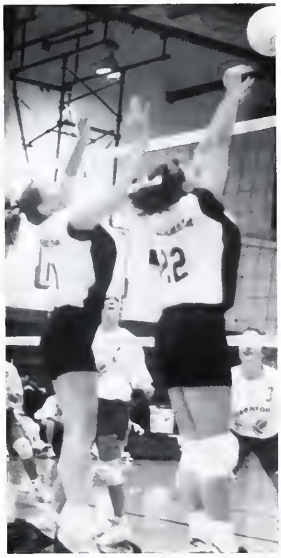
UPS AND DOWNS

As most teams do, the '96 volleyball team had its ups and downs. They began with a total of fifteen players, but lost a number of them to illness or injuries. Freshman Katie Snyder said, "At one point, we had only seven [players]." The team also had to deal with the departure of a team captain and a change in coaches after the birth of Coach Alexandra Haymans' son. Despite their hardships, the team coached by Alie Haymans, in her first year as head coach at WAC, and later in the season by Penny Fall, pulled through and had a decent season. They finished 8-26 overall and 3-7 in Conference games.

Record-wise the team had a better season than they had last year. Their defeat over Western Maryland could be considered one of the season highlights. It was the first WC defeat over them in twenty years. Individual achievement also stood out. Senior co-capitan Kari Lee accumulated 202 digs, while junior Emily Kessler made 117 blocks. Sophomore Kassie Jones also amassed 311 kills.

There was a general feeling in the group that the team, though small, had come together as a whole and had done a good job. Snyder said, "I feel that the future looks bright. We have a lot of talent, even though we are losing 3 key players this year. We also have many prospects for the next team. We have enough talent to win any game at any time, but it must com from inside. You must want it, to get it."

> "We survived to still play great volleyball."
>
> Katie Snyder



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1996 Shorewomen

Rachel Beres
Rachel Collier
Liz Hoogenboom
Cherae Hynson
Kassie Jones
Emily Kessler
Kari Lee
Heather Pyzik
Takako Saito
Katie Snyder
Becky Stephens

Marymount Tourney	2-3
Christopher Newport	2-3
Randolph Macon	0-3
Haverford Tourney	
Catholic University	1-3
Elmira College	0-3
Bryn Mawr	0-3
Haverford College	3-2
Gettysburg Tourney	0-3
Muhlenberg	0-3
Western MD	3-1
Keane	3-0
Seton Hill	0-3

Haverford	3-2
U. of Scranton Tourney	
Gallaudet	0-3
Hunter College	3-0
Albright	1-3
Bryn Mawr	0-3
Goucher College	0-3
Swarthmore	3-1
Galludet Tourney	0-3
Methodist	3-0
Catholic	0-3
Marymount	0-3

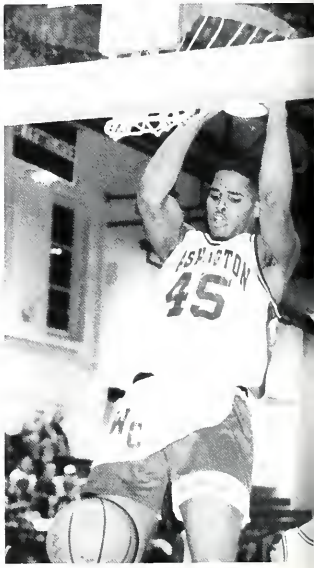
Johns Hopkins	0-3
Western MD	0-3
Dickinson w/ F&M	3-1
Wilmington College	0-3
Messiah Tourney	
York	0-3
Penn State-Behrend	0-3
Frostburg	0-3

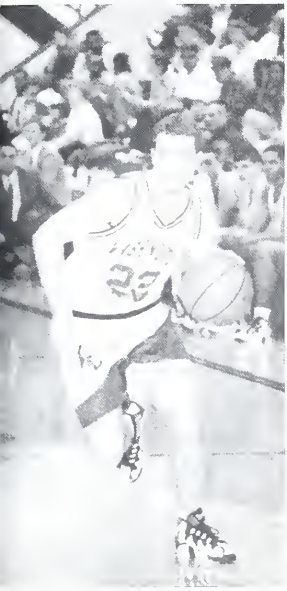
Shoremen Basketball

Washington College 1996-97 Schedule

Head Coach: Thomas Finnegan
Assistant Coach: Michael Hart
Assistant Coach: Bradley Campbell

Date	Opponent	Place	Result
Nov 22	J. Hopkins Tourn.	Away	W 80-70
Nov 23	Salisbury State	Away	L 74-76
Nov 26	St. Mary's	Away	L 89-104
Dec 2	Dickinson	Away	W 71-51
Dec 7	John's Hopkins	Home	W 70-50
Dec 10	Wild Goose	Away	L 63-67
Dec 13	Classic	Home	W 111-45
Dec 14	Wild Goose	Home	L 74-93
Dec 20	Classic	Away	L 55-92
Jan 4	U. of Delaware	Away	L 61-74
Jan 8	California State	Home	W 78-47
Jan 11	Gallaudet	Home	W 82-61
Jan 16	Villa Julie	Home	W 59-58
Jan 18	Swarthmore	Away	L 70-79
Jan 22	Muhlenberg	Home	W 81-52
Jan 25	Haverford	Away	W 74-65
Jan 29	Gettysburg	Home	W 74-57
Feb 1	Franklin &	Home	W 84-74
Feb 5	Marshall	Home	W 92-89
Feb 8	Ursinus	Home	W 66-42
Feb 12	Wesley	Away	W 77-64
Feb 15	Muhlenberg	Away	W 91-79
Feb 19	Swarthmore	Away	W 73-64
Feb 22	Ursinus	Home	W 91-56
Feb 26	Haverford	Home	L 68-78
	Western Maryland		
	Dickinson		





Shorewomen Basketball 1996-1997

This year's Women's Basketball team had a fairly successful season. The 1996-1997 Shorewomen boast a record of 14-10, which allowed them to come in third place in the Centennial Conference East Division. Eboni Taylor, a senior and captain of the team, was Team MVP, and also chosen as Second Team All Conference. Lee Ann Lezzer, a senior and captain, Allison Wentworth, also a senior and captain, and Karen Seiger, a junior, were chosen for the Academic All Conference Team. At the end of this season, the team will say good- bye to three of its charter members, as the three captains are graduating.

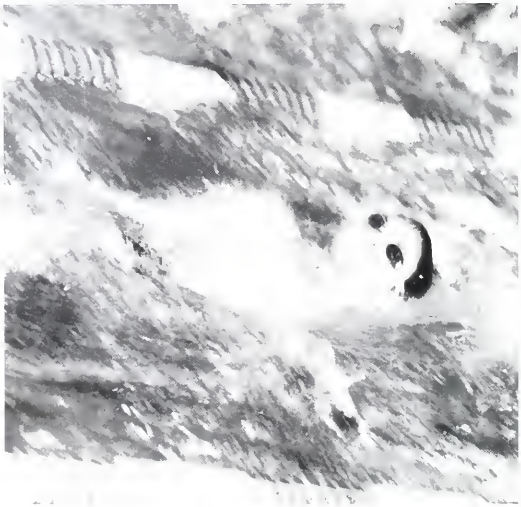
Senior Allison Wentworth

Junior Megan Miller

Sophomore Diane Zeng

Senior Lee Ann Lezzer

Senior Eboni Taylor



1997 WC Swimmers

Marcelo Brutti
Michael Butler
Robert Cronin
Drew Fritch
Erric Hetzer
Perry Holland
Thomas King
Daniel McCurdy
David McConnell
Greg McLaughlin
Greg Parent
Tim Parent
Angel Prado
Scott Smizik

Men's Swimming Has an Outstanding Season!

The men's swim team defeated Dickinson 110-56. Sophomore Angel Prado swam a season best in the 50 free with a 21.98 and 100 fly with a 54.32. Dan Salazar won his first event ever. Mike Butler won the 400 IM with a time of 4:47.51. Greg Parent swam a personal best in the 400 IM with a 4:52.25. The men fell to Swarthmore in overall points, 66-139.

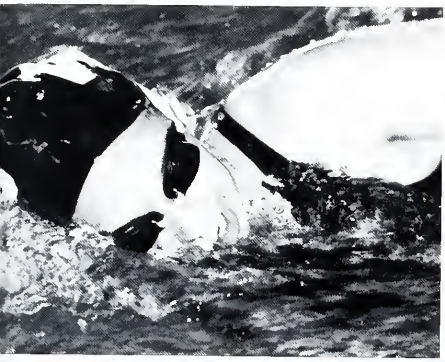
Despite the loss, Washington had several season best times and broke 2 records. Angel Prado had season best times in the 100 free (48.30) and 200 free (1:46.31). Tim Parent won the 50 free (22.83) and Dan McCurdy was second (23.93). The 200 free relay of Prado, Butler, T. Parent, and Holland placed first. Season best times: Hetzer 200 breast, Salazar 200 back, G. Parent 100 and 200 back. In the centennial conference championships, Angel Prado has just set a new school record and a new conference record: 20.92in the 50 free in the time trials. The team ended 7-4 for the season, with Angel Prado named the outstanding male swimmer at the conference championships. He finished 10th overall in the 100 meter butterfly at the Division III National Championships and earned All-America status for the second season in a row. With this great group of swimmers, we look forward to '98 with great anticipation.

Women's Swimming Breaks Records

The women's team had their first meet of the new year easily defeating Bryn Mawr 152-50. The Shorewomen placed first in all but two events. Kristin Hill swam the 1000 free for the first time ever and finished first with a time of 12:12.23. All three women in the 1000 free (Hill, Cherry, Peterson) qualified for Championships with their times. Cineva Kline swam Washington's 3rd fastest time ever in the 100 fly while Danielle Sullivan swam the 5th fastest ever in 400IM. Also Darlene Schaub returned after 9 months of rehab to win the 100 breast and qualify for Championships with her time. Schaub also swam on the 200 Medley Relay which placed first.

Meredith Bathgate set new school records in the 50 free (25.58) and the 200 breast (2:34.59) an also won the 100 free (56.98). Danielle Sullivan won the 200 free and Krista Northup won the 1000 free. Season best times: Beauchamp and Mastumura in 200 back, Hill 1000 free, Northup 200 fly, Peterson 1000 free.

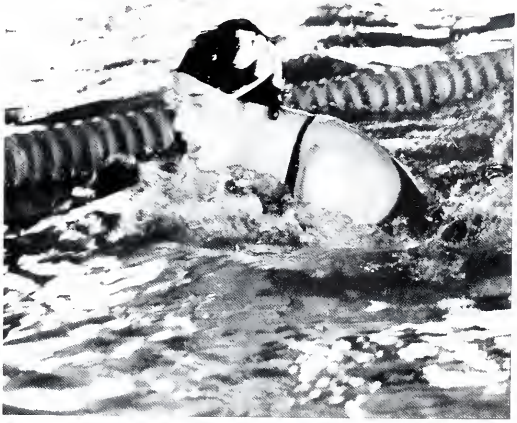
The women defeated Dickinson,138-65. Meredith Bathgate, who switched from backstroke to breaststroke this year, set her 2nd school record in the 100 breast this season with a time of 1:11.36. She also won the 100&50 free. Danielle Sullivan set season best times in 200 & 500 free Anna Gruber qualified for the Centennial Championships in the 100 breast. The 200 free relay Sullivan, Murphy, Cherry, Northup easily won with a time of 1.:50.14. The 200 medley relay team of Murphy, Schaub, Kline, and Voss won with a time of 2:00.77.



left, senior captains Jenn Voss and Erin Miller are shown participating in the American Cancer Society's "Relay for Life." Both swim teams raised $1,600 for the fight against cancer.

997 Shorewomen Swimmers

Meredith Bathgate
Heather Beauchamp
Megan Bradley
Emily Cherry
Diana Clapp
Anna Gruber
Kristin Hill
Cineva Kline
Eiko Matsumura
Erin Miller
Barbara Murphy
Krista Northup
Amy Peterson
Darlene Schaub
Danielle Sullivan
Jennifer Voss
Nicole Williams
Alison Woodall



Men's Lax Approaches NCAA Championships

The men defeated number five ranked Roanoke College 13-6. Justin McCarthy and John Fuller each scored 2 goals and had 1 assist. Goalkeeper Andy Taibl had 17 saves. Next, they defeated Oswego State 19-9. Andy Lopatin had 4 goals and 2 assists. John Fuller scored 3 goals and had 1 assist.

Finally, Washington College slipped by Gettysburg College 10-9 on in the semi-finals of the NCAA Men's Division III Tournament. With the defeat of the Bullets, the Shoremen will head to the championship game for the second year in a row. They will be playing Nazareth College Sunday, May 25th at Byrd Stadium in College Park, MD.

Washington started the game with a 3-0 lead over Gettysburg in the first quarter while the Bullets came back to tie the score 3-3 in the second quarter. Two consecutive second quarter goals by the Shoremen's John Fuller followed by a goal by Andrew Van Ogtrop pushed Washington ahead 6-3. The Bullets responded with two in a row to narrow the score to a 6-5 Washington lead at the half. Greg Tomasso began the scoring in the third quarter followed by a goal by Marc Taylorson which kept the Shoremen on top throughout the third quarter as they headed into the final quarter with a 9-7 lead. Adam Bond scored for Washington with 8:38 to go in the game. Tensions began to run high as Gettysburg's Jamie Bateman scored two goals in thirty seconds to bring the score to a 10-9 Washington lead with :45 seconds to go in the game. Gettysburg's Brett Strait shot with :13 seconds to go, but a save by goalie Andy Taibl kept the lead and thus, helped the Shoremen to victory and a second consecutive trip to the NCAA Championship game. Taibl had 14 saves for the day .

Memorial Day weekend will put Washington and Nazareth in the Championship game for the second year in a row. Last year, Nazareth slipped by Washington 11-10 in overtime of the final game. The semi-final win marked the 18th Division III tournament win for Washington College more than any other school except Hobart.

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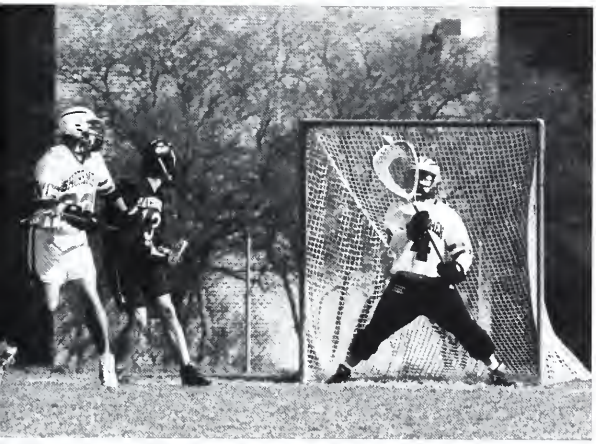


Sho 'em WAC!

Women's Lacrosse Season Ends with a Win

Women's lacrosse defeated Bryn Mawr 13-9 in their final game to class with 5-12 overall record for the season. Goalie Sarah Moore had 14 saves in that game while Jordan Holt led the team in scoring with 4 goals. Senior Marcia McGee returned from an injury to score three. Also scoring were Heather Cranmer with 2 goals as well as Linda Fortucci, Maggy Kilroy, Mandy Pare and Amy Scarlett, with one goal each. The games against Muhlenburg and John Hopkins previous to the final game had been losses but the women's triumph on April 29 made their skill evident. Senior captain Elizabeth Barlow commented, "Despite our performance at the Ursinius game, the game versus Salisbury proved our talent as a team." Even though the team will be losing some integral seniors–Amy Scarlett, Marcia McGee, Liz Mangano, Elizabeth Barlow and Elizabeth Moga–the undergraduates that remain have gained much in experience and talent. 1998 promises to be exciting season.

1997 Shorewomen

Rosanne Alastra
Stacie Anthony
Elizabeth Barlow
Karen Carver
Heather Cranmer
Linda Fortucci
Brooke Gallant
Veronica Ganzman
Erin Gillin
Kim Hardesty
Jordan Holt
Liz Hoogenboom
Maggy Kilroy
Quincy Miles
Marcia McGee
Liz Mangano
Elizabeth Moga
Sarah Moore
Mandy Pare
Amy Scarlett
Katie Warwick

Date	Opponent	Place
March 12	Nazareth	Away
March 20	Notre-Dame	Home
March 22	Gettysburg	Away
March 25	Swarthmore	Away
March 27	F&M	Home
April 1	Western MD	Away
April 5	St. Mary's	Away
April 8	Haverford	Away
April 10	Widener	Home
April 12	Dickinson	Home
April 15	Ursinus	Away
April 17	Salibury	Away
April 19	Drew	Home
April 21	Villa Julie	Away
April 24	Muhlenberg	Home
April 26	Johns Hopkins	Home
April 29	Bryn Mawr	Home

Shoremen 1997 Crew

In the Atlantic Sprint League the men placed 2nd for "all-points" to Johns Hopkins. The women tied for first with Marietta College.

Men's Novice 8
1. Washington College—7:03.86
2. JHU "composite" boat (women and men)—7:26.12

Men's Lightweight 4
1. Hopkins—7:00.60
2. Marietta—7:12.95
3. Washington College—8:00.97

Women's Novice 8
1. Stockton—8:11.89
2. Washington College—8:14.95

Men's Novice 4
1. Hopkins—8:46.50
2. Washington College—9:08.49

Women's 8 "B"
1. Washington College—8:48.26
2. Marietta—8:50.51

Women's Novice 4
1. Hopkins—10:15.94
2. Stockton—10:39.63
3. Washington College—11:17.29

Men's Varsity 8 (Lt and open weight)
1. Marietta—7:02.79
2. Washington College—7:13.17
3. Hopkins—7:20.09

Women's Varsity 8
1. Marietta—7:54.78
2. Washington College—7:59.74
3. Hopkins—8:31.08
4. Stockton—8:35.28

Washington's Women's JV qualified for finals at the 59th Annual Dad Vail Regatta. This was the first women's boat to ever make it to the finals from WC. They placed sixth out of six in the final.
The Women's Varsity 8 advanced to the semi-finals by defeating Northwestern, Rhode Island, and Washington University, but were eliminated in a tough semi-finals heat.
The Men's Varsity 8 was eliminated in the Quarter-finals.

results courtesy of Sports Info. Office

Washington College Men's Tennis Captures National Title

Men's tennis began their season by defeating Colgate University, winning all events. Miro Beran, Michael Kember, and Andrew King won in singles competition. In doubles, the pairs of Polla/Beran 9-8 (7-5), Kember/King 8-2, and Nordberg/Vicentini 8-4 defeated all 3 doubles partners from Colgate. The women's team defeated Bryn Mawr 6-3. Singles were won by Anabel Flores 6-0, 6-1, Paulina Sierra 6-0, 6-0, Karine Berger 6-0, 6-1, and Amy Rizzitello 7-5, 6-0. Doubles winners were Flores/Sierra 8-1 and Berger/Hornbeck 8-2.

The Washington College Men's Tennis Team defeated Kalamazoo College of Michigan 4-2 to claim the NCAA Division III National Championship. Previous to that game, Washington defeated Gustavas Adolphus 4-0 for a semi-final victory and the right to play for the national title. The match began with a let down as Washington lost the doubles competition point to Kalamazoo. Although first team doubles Michael Kember and Andrew King defeated Kalamazoo's Chris Kennelly and Pat Noud (8-5), Washington fell to the second and third teams of Harding/Norlander and Cummings/Ivy. Washington then sprang back in the singles competition as number one singles Damian Polla defeated Pat Noud, 6-4, 6-2 along with wins by Michael Kember, 6-3, 6-2, Tomas Lejarraga 7-6 (3), 1-6, 6-4, and Gustavo Vicentini, 6-3, 6-4. Anabel Flores won the Centennial Conference Championships. She defeated F & M's Leah Rubin 6-3, 3-6, 6-1 for the title.

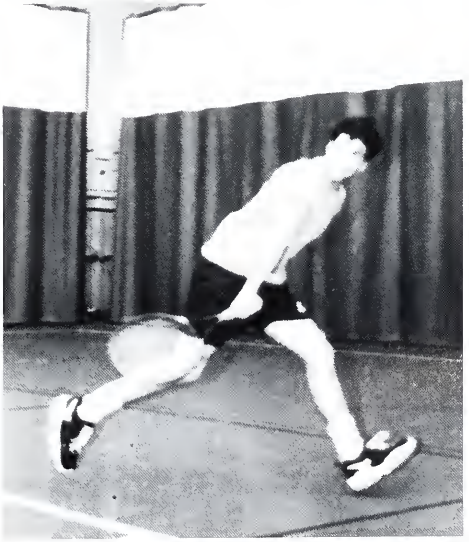
results courtesy of the WC Sports Information Office

Men's Team

Miro Beran
Desmond P. Donaghue
Gustavo Vicentini
Tomas LeJarraga
Michael Kember
Andrew King
Margus Korgesaar
Charles Merrick
Carl-Johan Nordberg
Damian Polla
Jason Samus

Women's Team

Karine Berger
Rebecca Corbin
Melissa Ellwanger
Anabel Flores
Sarah Hornbeck
Amy Rizzitello
Paulina Sierra
Erin Thornton



Shoremen Baseball 1997

1997 saw a great season for head coach Ed Athey. The baseball field was renamed in his honor. He announced his retirement this year, which also marked his 300th career victory in the Shoremen's defeat of Johnson & Wales. A group of talented seniors led the team, including Scott Quinn, Sean Tyszko, and Tim Pilarski. The games this season were often sensational, the men coming back to win in the last innings. Overall they won the most games ever in a season by WAC baseball.

Sophomores Jonathan Lear and Travis Beauchamp also made great contributions to the team with their pitching skills. Scott Quinn proved a great hitter as well as pitcher. Dan Gerbasi, Theodore Perry and Mike Hinkle rounded out the top batters this season.

Losing three integral seniors, as well as Coach Athey, will prove sad for the team, but moving into their place will be seven able juniors. 1998 promises to be an exciting season for WAC baseball.

Don Peters
Dustin Ritter
Nate Tyler
Mike O'Conner
Jim Young
Sean Tyszko
Theordore Perry
Mike Hinkle
Justin Holler
Jarrett Pasko
Jonathan Lear
Thomas King
Tim Pilarski
Dan Gerbasi
David Briggs
Matt Flanagan
Paul Taylor
Travis Beauchamp

11

10

21

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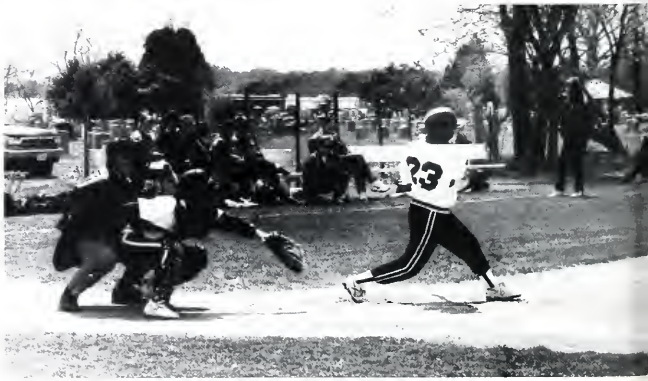
Softball has HUGE Season!!

This year the Shorewomen saw a great season. The team went 21-9-1, a tremendous record. It was the fourth consecutive year that the team was able to break a school record for the most wins in a season. The team also boasted a conference record of 12-4, putting them in second place in the Centennial Conference. Emily Kessler, the starting pitcher for the team was first team all conference and Team MVP. There were also four Honorable Mentions on the All Conference Team: Senior, Cherie Gallini, Junior, Karen Sieger, Junior, Shannon Rump and Freshman, Crystal Arrabal. This year's captains were: Melissa Kordula, Leanne Cole and Shannon Rump. Congratulations to the 1997 Shorewomen and Good Luck next year!!



1997 Shorewomen 21-9-1

Captains:

Melissa Kordula
Leanne Cole
Shannon Rump

Odyssey

Activities

It's nearing the end of the century and we young people are considered part of apathetic "Generation X" . True on the Washington College campus? Not necessarily. Participation in extracurricular activities are an indication that our students are involved and aware. This year we saw great number and array of clubs. Newly formed were Animus, FORCE, and the Film Appreciation club. Dance Club, as well as the Ice Hockey, Women's and Men's Rugby, and Women's Soccer clubs allowed students to practice the athletics they love. The many previously instituted clubs continued to serve and educate the community. Hands Out was as essential as ever in its work with the disadvantaged. Sierra Coalition fought to keep our planet safe and healthy. Many groups sponsored speakers and activists in order to involve our minds and spur our actions. Service Happens recognized volunteers working within clubs or individually. Every year students make time between school, work and sports to lend their energy to activities and causes they care about, contributing to the community and having fun at the same time.

Luminaries lined the Cater Walk, representing those living with aids and, extinguished, those dying of aids. The lanterns were arranged by volunteers and members of S.H.OT. on World Aids Day. (Eric Johnson, S.H.O.T. Coordinator)

Animus

W.C. Pre-Vet Club
purpose- for students interested in veterinary medicine or related areas of science/ biology

Democrat Club

Officers:
President: Bill Brady; Vice-President: Mike Crews; Treasure: Rachel Roll; Secretary: Matt Kory
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Anne Black, Liz Ellinghaus, Ed Geisweid, Jessica Harding, Eric Johnson, Jenn Mitchell, Autumn Rosenberg, Sanjeevani Wijenaike, Karen Sieger, Jaclyn Lavender, John Cunic, Carolyn Fuss, Natalie Smith, Terri Griffin, Lalita Blue, Tangela Anderson, Brendan Wright, Brock Hayslett, Adrienne Porter, Megan Kilby, Erin Madden, Angela Ahles, Alison Carter, Desiree Figueroa, Shannon Parker, Meadow Gladding, Katherine Mahoney, Ashley McLendon, Pablo Sherwell, Joanna Nicklas, Florian Schofer, Rebecca Rakoski, Marilyn McDonald, Christine Harley, Elijah Johnson, Melissa Pierkowski, Charles Dean, Jennifer Blum

Cleopatra's Daughters

President Lisa Purvis

Country Line Dancing

Gender Group

The Gender Studies Discussion Group deals with gender issues (female AND male) in everyday life. Pictured here: Dr. Nancy Schwartz, faculty advisor
Rachel Roll and Natalie Smith, co-presidents
Mary Marland
Jennifer Lubkin

The Elm

French Club

German Club

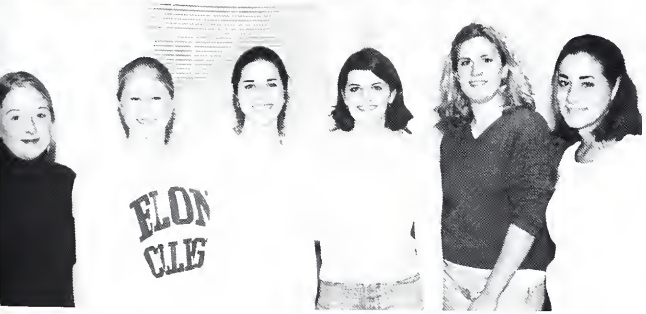
Japanese Club

International Relations

Hands Out

Ice Hockey

Investment Club



Panhellenic Council

Spanish Club

Step Squad

Sierra Coalition

Sigma Delta Phi

SGA

Printer's Devils

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Paige Patterson, Treasurer
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Cortney Clulow
Scott Dobrosielsky
Franklin Fick
Eva Kaplan-Leiserson
Beth Moser
Jason Oosterwyk
Amy Peterson
Benjamin Schiek
Theresa Vance
Jennifer Ward
Gretchen Winger

Psychology Club

Odyssey of the Mind

Wac Happenings

President: Mike Crews
Vice-President: Mary Hoffman
Treasure: Melissa Pierkowski
Secretary: Liz 'Swiz' Garrott
Historians: Steve Spotswood and Travis Allen
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Riverside Players

Women's Soccer

ODK

Writer's Union

The Writers' Union, W.C. 's largest student group, links student writers through frequent poetry readings, opportunities for publication, parties, and visits with guest writers. Junta, the executive committee of the Writers' Union, is opened to all students interested in planning readings and helping to maintain that mecca of the written word—the Literary House.

Junta:
Lucas Canino
Cortney Clulow
Christine Ddavis
Scott Dobrosielsky
David Drell
Jon Fowler
Timothy Geaghan
Eva Kaplan-Leiserson
Lauren Merwin
Marshall Norton
Luke Owens
Paige Patterson
Ben Schiek
Jen Ward
Megan Wolff
Sarah Sobon
Stephen Spotswood

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China Anderson
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Thomas Briggs
Cheri Brock
Jen Brothers
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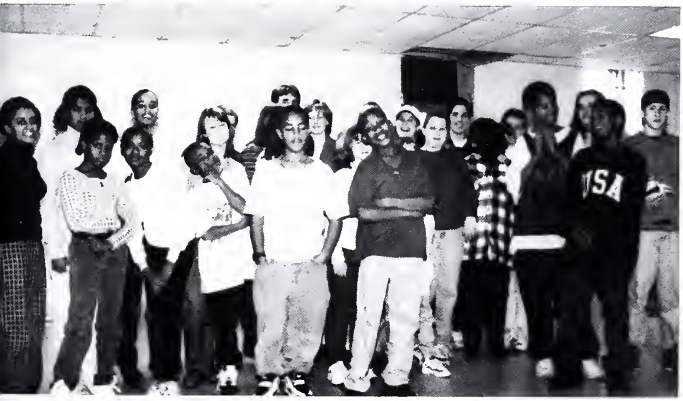
Pi Sigma Alpha



Target Tutoring

The program coordinators are:
Allyson Moore and
April Stout

Target Tutoring is a student run organization. Our goal is to help students from the local middle school who have been identified as "at risk" of not finishing their education. The students come to WC twice a week after school where they are tutored by a WC volunteer for an hour. The kids love it! This year has given us some of the most dedicated tutors we have ever had. Thank you to everyone who has helped!

Silver Pentagon Society

The Silver Pentagon Society is an honor society for freshmen and sopmore students. It is an old society that was refounded on this campus in 1995 in order to encourage the students to strive for academic excellence, leadership, and community involvement and to prepare them for possible membership in ODK.
Here are the members.

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Suriyankietkaew
Tahnee Fuller
Abby Moss
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Interfraternity Council

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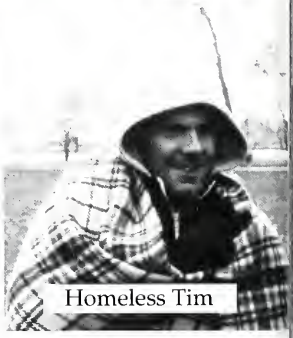
Washington College Rugby

First Annual Alumni Game

below: Second Annual Alumni Game



Homeless Tim

Mud, Sweat and Tears

New York City, '96

The Pegasus

This book is the result of a lot of hard work by our small but dedicated staff. Thank you all for your many contributions. Thanks to our Jostens representative, Rich Schrenker, for helping us make our vision a reality. Thanks also to our advisor, Meredith Davies Hadaway, and Diane Larrimore on Student Affairs for all their help in getting needed information. Also thank you, Board of Publications for giving us money and advice. Finally, many thanks go to Dr. Gillin, Gook luck, Dan and Heidi-keep on truckin'!

Is life worth living? It depends on the liver.

Sir Herbert Beerbohm Tree, qtd. by Hesketh Pearson in *Lives of the Wits*

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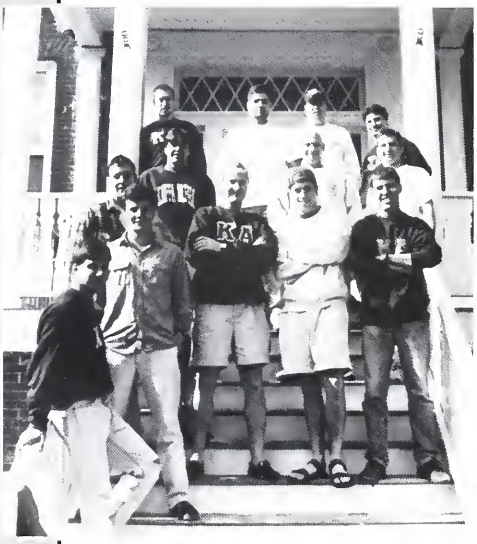
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Odyssey

Greek Life

Ties that bind, joined in brotherhood or sisterhood forever, forming friendships that last a lifetime–Greek life at Washington College offers all these opportunities, as well as support for individuality. In friends that can enduringly be counted on, there is reassurance and comfort. After all, it is chance that joins us, but it is love that makes us friends.

Alpha Omicron Pi

This year Alpha Omicron Pi celebrated its hundreth year of sisterhood, turning 100 on January 2, 1997. This celebration will be topped off when Katie Warwick, Erin Wade, Kim Hardesty and Daniella Bonazzolli go to New York City in July for a Centennial Celebration. Alpha Omicron Pi also held Founder's Day at Washington College this year. President Toll was in attendance and accepted a gift, on behalf of the college to commemorate 100 years. Also this year, Alpha Omicron Pi was the winner of Greek Games and the Greek Games banner contest, for the second year in a row. AOPi was also the winner of this year's Halloween Madness. Jennifer Higgins, Kristin Hitzemann, Gillian Mattimore and Adrienne Gemmell will be in London for first semester next year.

Zeta Tau Alpha

The 96-97 school year was particularly special for the sisters of Zeta Tau Alpha. Not only did we reach our quota during Spring Rush, but we set a new school record for the biggest pledge class- 17 New Members! Besides that great feat, we also won a "Crown Chapter Award", and the "Loving Cup" for the sorority having the highest GPA on campus. Our theme for Greek Games was "Diversity from Z to A." Although we didn't win first place, everyone had a blast. Our chapter continued to raise money for our national philanthropy- the Susan G. Kormen Breast Cancer Foundation by sponsoring fundraisers such as the Annual Carwash at the C-town Firehouse. We also hosted a Christmas Party and an Easter Egg Hunt in conjunction with the brothers of Kappa Alpha Order for children in the community. Without a doubt, this year was one of the best for the sisters of ZTA!!

Alpha Chi Omega

The past year was a very busy year for Alpha Chi Omega. In June of '96, Amy Draper and Katie Pagliughi represented Alpha Chi at the National Convention held in San Diego, CA. The theme was "Our Vision, Our Values" and focused on carrying AX into the 21st Century. In November there was the annual Casino Night a fundraiser for Women of Domestic Violence, the philanthropy of Alpha Chi Omega. The sorority competed in Greek Games and had the honor of one of its sisters, Eboni Taylor, named as Greek Goddess. The Alpha Chi's choose Alpha Chi goes Broadway as the theme for this year's Spring Rush, and finished out the year with the traditional dinner dance, complete with a cruise on The Spirit of Philadelphia.

Kappa Alpha Order

Phi Delta Theta

Phi Delta Theta has experienced national and local success of the past year. In the beginning of the year we hosted crabfeast, which attracted alumni from around the region. We earned the silver star award from our national. We are now in the process of applying for the most distinguished awards Phi Delta Theta gives out. In athletics we experienced a positive year, having two all-americans named in Lacrosse, with numerous others on the team. Our tennis players are ranked at the top of the nation in both singles and doubles. We performed numerous community service activities including Adopt-A-Highway, along with hosting a reception for the patrons of the concert series.We the brothers of Phi Delta Theta look forward to a successful year and wish all those who are graduating good luck in their future endevours.

Theta Chi

Greek Life at WAC!

Theta Chi

Big Brothers/ Big Sisters

Spring Rush

Zeta Tau Alpha

Alpha Chi Omega

Loving Cup

Alpha Omicron Pi

Phi Delta Theta

Greek Games

Kappa Alpha Order

Odyssey

Closing

The hours we put in were long, yet the time between freshman orientation and commencement seems extraordinarily short. We are left with our memories, our knowledge and our impressions of our year at WAC. The time we have spent here has filled us with elation, wonder, struggle and triumph. There were ecstatic moments that can never be repeated. In rough times, we were able to weather the storm. With the support of friends, family and mentors, we have been able to enjoy mostly smooth sailing on the high seas.

As we leave the sphere of Washington College, we take with us all that we have experienced. Throughout our lives the sum of these encounters–the knowledge instilled, the friends made for life–cultivates our wisdom. We hope to emerge from our journey as Odysseus–to be never at a loss.

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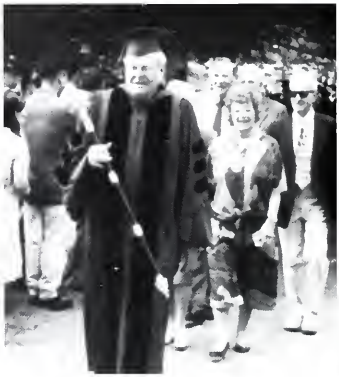
215th Commencement

Michael Dirda, a writer and editor for the Washington Post Book World, delivered the keynote address at Washington College's 215th commencement exercises on Sunday, May 18th. Dirda, on campus for the 30th anniversary celebration of the Sophie Kerr Gift that enriches the College's literary environment, received the honorary Doctor of Letters degree. Karen A. Johnson, Class of 1968, received the College's Alumni Citation. John Barth was also in attendance. Heather Noble delivered the senior class speech, bidding them hail and farewell, reminding them, in connection with the novel of the same title read by the class as pre-freshmen, that they are "beautiful swimmers." Approximately 225 undergraduates and 14 master's degree candidates recieved their diplomas during the morning ceremonies.

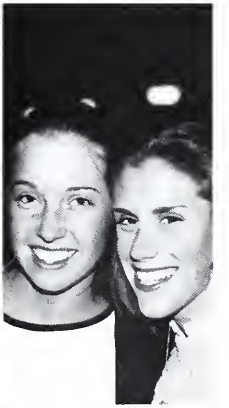
The Sophie Kerr Prize, given to one graduating senior who demonstrates the greatest "ability and promise for future fulfillment in the field of literary endeavor" and worth $29,300 in this, its 30th anniversary year, was given to Brandon Hopkins.

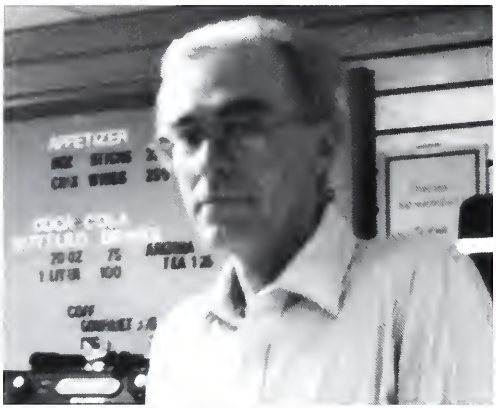
As part of the Reunion festivities on Saturday, May 17th , novelist John Barth, Putlizer Prize-winning writer William Warner and Robert Day, writer and Director of the O'Neill Literary House at Washington College, gave readings from Talking Tidewater, a collection of essays about the Eastern Shore that was published by the College's Literary House Press. Several former Sophie Kerr Prize winners were also on campus discussing the impact of the Sophie Kerr gift.



above, Brandon Hopkins receives the Sophie Kerr Prize

First Night Out,
First Night Back
May 16, 1997

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Mr./Ms. .....
exceedingly regrets the deplorable conduct exhibited while a guest at your

( ) dance ( ) party

last ..... evening and humbly craves your pardon for the breach of etiquette checked below:

( ) Striking Host/Hostess with Bottle
( ) Spanking Host/ Hostess
( ) Excessive Screaming
( ) Excessive Smoking
( ) Frequent Absence from Party
( ) Extreme Inebriation
( ) Destruction of Furniture
( ) Complete Loss of Equilibrium
( ) Loss of Footwear
( ) Waxing Maudlin
( ) Insulting Guests
( ) Regurgitation
( ) Inappropriate Sleeping
( ) Swimming the English Channel Across the Ball room Floor.

Don't let it be said that the college student is unconcerned with etiquette. We all know that our lifestyles can lead to situations that get out of hand. For this reason here reproduced is an item from the 1930 Pegasus (with some updates). Students should have copies made for ready distribution the morning after.

Captain
Morgan

Editors' Notes

"Sunday mornin' my
head is so bad
But it's worth it for
the times I've had."
Blue Monday,
Fats Domino

Katie, the 97 Pagliughisus is complete! There's a tear in my beer...I commend you with the highest honor I am able to bestow as yearbook editor (or I could add you to the hottie poster). You are the only person to ever say that *I'm* too nice, you nutty thing, you. It's been fun! Thanks also to:

WAC Rugby for protecting me from those who would seek to spoil my fun (or knock me down). I love you lads!

Buddy, my love's bigger than a cadillac. ***** Aaron, we'll figure it out eventually. Seth & O'Hearn, you've been like big brothers to me. Chad, thanks for turning me on...to Pavement, etc. I love ya. Chris, somewhere between getting thrown across the room and silly antics in the car, I had a good time. Brett and Andrea, ex deus machina...You never leave the bus...look for the bare necessities.

Heather Ann Pilen XXO

Heather- Can you believe that it's been four years? Who would have thought two girls from the slums of Queen Anne's would rise to Yearbook fame!! Thanks for listening to my complaints and telling me that I'm not crazy. In more ways than you'll know you've kept me sane and been a great friend, thank you.

Allison, Thank you for everything over the last few years, you know everything else! I'm sorry that I didn't use the Casino Night picture but I sent it home with my dad. I really do like the Graduation one!!

Heather, Thank you for your help, the '97 yearbook wouldn't have been complete without your excellent skills in bag writing and keeping the editor company in the dungeon!! Your friendship is something that means a lot to me!

Brent- You're not bad at writing bags out either, or keeping me company, or putting up with me, or watching out for me. It's been an interesting year, (would you please shut up?) It wasn't supposed to happen this way, but I love you, still. We've still got a lot of work left but we'll make it!!

"A little sunshine, a little rain, A little loss, a little gain, A little happiness, a little pain, Not all sweet, not all sour, Now a weed, now a flower, A goodly average of sunshine and shower."
-Frank R. Jennings

Oh the places I've been...

Colophon

Odyssey, 1997 Pegasus

Volume 71 of the Washington College *Pegasus, Odyssey* was published and printed by Jostens, Inc. at State College, Pennsylvania. The theme and design were created and produced by Heather Pilar and Kate Pagliughi with Jostens representative, Rich Schrenker. The book measures 7 3/4 x 10 1/2 inches. The paperstock is 80 pound gloss. The cover was designed and painted in watercolor by Heather Pilar, with Aaron Grayson in mind. It is custom screened with overgrain in Spanish 1257. The title is in Navy 540.

The type varies throughout the book. Palatino is the most frequently used font and is found on the Table of Contents, divider pages, sports stories and headlines, and for most copy in points between 8 and 42. Brush Script is used for seniors' names in the Senior section. Blue-green and medium blue are used for colored titles on the Table of Contents, and blue-green and 30% black are used on the theme pages.

Most photographs in the book were taken by staff members. Most photographs were developed by Matt Chambers or Kurt Sommer in the darkroom. Color film was developed at Rite-Aid in Chestertown. Photos in the senior section were provided by individual seniors. Some photos in the book were contributed by students at Washington College. Page 72, "WAC Rugby," was purchased by the Washington College Rugby Club and photos that appear there were contributed by members of that club. Copy in the book was written by staff members except where noted.

The staff would like to once again express appreciation to everyone who contributed their time and energy to bring this volume together.

Omnio fieri possent

Everything may happen

–Seneca

Hail and Farewell